

## HELD A SHORT SESSION

**Council Met Last Evening and W. C. T. U. Want Saloon Licenses Revoked—Other Matters of Interest.**

There were no absentees at last evening's meeting of the common council, the mayor and all of the aldermen being in their seats. After the minutes of the February meeting had been read, Ald. Pagel said that the duties of the comptroller, as provided by an ordinance passed at the last meeting, should include his services as poor commissioner. The special committee appointed at that time were authorized to secure evidence relative to the Water Co.'s services to present to the rate commission when they visit this city. These corrections were made.

Residents and taxpayers, including John P. O'Keefe, Thos. Riley and 13 others, wanted an are light placed at the corner of Clark street and Illinois avenue, which was referred to the committee on lighting, as was also a petition from the Stevens Point Brewing Co., the Phoenix Wall Paper Manfg. Co. and 15 others asking for a light at the intersection of Francis, Brewery and Water streets, which latter petition was recommended in a short talk by Ald. Cook, who said that the Sixth ward has at present five arc lights.

The comptroller's report of persons receiving aid during the past month was accepted and placed on file.

A communication signed by Mrs. Carrie J. Howard as president and Mrs. Laura Burdick as secretary of the W. C. T. U., asked that the licenses of Geo. Peck, Julius Retski and Strong Bros. be revoked for selling liquor to minors and Aug. Katlewski for selling to posted persons, all of them having pleaded guilty in court. City Atty. Owen, when called upon, read a section from the statutes showing that when a matter of this kind is presented to the council, it must be brought in the form of a complaint properly sworn to, when the council must cause a summons to be issued for the accused party or parties to appear in not less than three nor more than ten days and show cause why their licenses should not be revoked. The council has no jurisdiction, he said, on account of the manner in which this matter is now presented to them. A motion by Ald. Schenk to lay the communication on the table was carried by all voting in favor except Cook and Scribner.

Mayor Cashion called attention to the banks of snow on each side of the business streets, which should be removed before it commences to thaw. This will be attended to by the street commissioner. Upon motion of Ald. Pagel the board of public works will buy not to exceed 100 cords of mixed green hardwood and will receive bids until next week Thursday.

The matter of re-planking the Wisconsin River bridge was brought up, Comptroller Cunneen stating that the Clifford Lumber Co. expect the planking to arrive here every day. Ald. Abb said that before any work of this kind is done, the bridge should be examined by an expert to see that the stringers, etc., are in a sound condition, and that new steel stringers should be placed thereon instead of the wood stringers. He made an emphatic talk along this line and the mayor also advised that an expert be secured, which will be done as a motion authorizing the board of public works and mayor to procure an expert at once was carried. City Atty. Owen, who is chairman of the board of public works, said that they are endeavoring to get the planking here as rapidly as possible and thought that the stringers could be better examined after the old planking is torn up.

Ald. McDonald called attention of the council to the fact that when J. Iverson was permitted to move the building from the Gilchrist lots on Main street to the rear lots in the block, contrary to law, that he not only made two houses out of the one, but had also neglected to cover them with steel, as he promised to do in his petition. Upon motion City Atty. Owen was authorized to see that the resolution giving Iverson the above privilege is now fully complied with. The council then adjourned.

## Electric Line Franchise.

A franchise was granted by the common council of Portage, Monday evening, to the proposed new Chicago & Wisconsin Valley R. R. Co. It was not presented to the council here last evening, as it is necessary to publish a franchise for a couple of weeks before being presented, and the company was not prepared to do this, being engaged in looking after other interests elsewhere along the new line, but it will no doubt be asked at the April meeting.

## He Will Never Return.

Ivar B. Harrang, who was one of the main witnesses in the case of the state against Ward B. Hedger, convicted of the murder of his wife in Milwaukee, and now serving a life sentence at Waupun, died last Friday at the Wauwatosa Hospital, just two hours before motion for a new trial for Hedger was denied in court. Harrang was a medical student, and had a number of acquaintances in Stevens Point, having accompanied both the late John C. Campbell and Fred J. Carpenter from the Sacred Heart Sanatorium to their homes in this city, remaining here to care for the former for several weeks. He was a medical student at Marquette college, and worked almost night and day to pay his way through, finally breaking down and died of tuberculosis. He remains were buried at Stoughton, where the young man had many friends. He hoped to recover sufficiently to return to Norway, where his mother waits the son who will never return.

## Fine Attraction Coming.

The next attraction at the Grand will be the Mock Sad Alli Stock Co. in a repertoire of all new plays. This is the largest and strongest company playing the middle west this season. The company numbers fifteen people and every one is an artist in his or her respective line. Miss Dorothy Wood, the clever little leading lady with the company, is one of our middle west favorites, and needs no introduction to the theatre goers of Stevens Point.

The company carries special scenery, electric effects, working men and their plays are produced just the same as the ones that you pay a dollar and a half to see. All the plays are new and during their engagement here they will present "The Country Minister," "If It Weren't for Father," "The Favorite Son," "Hearts of Gold," "A Virginian Romance," "The Girl from Arizona," and "The Red Cross Nurse." The vaudeville carried by this company is the finest in the country. You cannot find better in the first-class vaudeville houses of the big cities.

As usual on Monday night ladies will be admitted free under the usual conditions, one lady free with each 30 cent paid ticket, if bought at seat sale before 6 o'clock that evening.

## ONE FIRM PLEADS GUILTY

**Saloon Keepers Arrested for Selling Liquor to Minors—Some Will be Heard in Circuit Court.**

On complaint of Mrs. A. H. McMillan, three local saloon firms, Strong Bros., Shepreux & Nowak and Klich Bros., were arraigned in Justice Park's court, Saturday morning, charged with selling liquor to minors. The first named firm was charged with selling to a person over 17 years of age, plead guilty to two charges and paid fines and cost amounting to \$17.60. Klich Bros. plead guilty to selling to a minor under 17 years of age, but as the fine is from \$25 to \$200, the justice had no jurisdiction and they were bound over to the circuit court and released on their own recognizance. The charge against Shepreux & Nowak was the same as that of the last parties mentioned, to which they entered a plea of not guilty and the hearing was adjourned until yesterday, but later changed their plea and were also bound over to the circuit court.

Mr. MacMillan's death at his own hands, four weeks ago last night, was the climax which led up to the prosecution in these cases. All of the saloonkeepers of the city had been officially notified not to sell him liquor, but notwithstanding this fact, it appeared that he was able to get it whenever he desired. After his death Mrs. MacMillan decided to take matters into her own hands and with the assistance of several young men and boys under 21 years of age, whom she sent into the saloons to have bottles filled with liquor, while others were posted on the inside of the places to ascertain the names of the parties who filled the orders and other facts connected with the proceedings, she procured sufficient evidence to lead to the arrest of those mentioned above.

On Saturday warrants were issued for the arrest of Aug. Katlewski, a saloonkeeper on the public square, and Alex Zimmer, a saloonkeeper on Main street, both of whom were charged with selling liquor to a posted person. When arraigned in municipal court, Katlewski entered a plea of guilty and paid a fine of \$20 and costs, amounting to \$24.12, but Zimmer plead not guilty and his examination was adjourned until tomorrow.

## Ruling on Reserved Seats.

Reserved seats for the Mock Sad Alli Co. will be on sale at Krembs Drug Co. store Friday at 8 a. m. No telephone orders will be taken until 10 a. m. This rule will apply for all future attractions, no telephone orders being taken until two hours after tickets are placed on sale.

## The Closing Number.

The last number of the Normal Lecture Course for this season will be given on Friday evening next, March 4th, at the Grand. It promises to be the star number. Isabel Garghill Beecher will be remembered by many who heard her four years ago. She is without a superior as a dramatic reader. She will read from two of the latest metropolitan successes, "The Man from Home," by Booth Tarkington, and "The Melting Pot," by Zangwell. No one can afford to miss such an opportunity. The lecture committee wants everyone there, hence they made the price for single admission 25 cents to the general public and 15 cents for students of the Normal, public and parochial schools. Such prices should pack the house. Tickets will be on sale at the box office at 7:30 Friday evening. Anyone wishing reservation should telephone F. N. Spindler, treasurer, at the Normal, or red 139.

## Business College Notes.

Max Friday, who completed the stenographic course two years ago, is taking a review of the work preparatory to accepting a position in a few weeks.

Miss Anna Hodell, a former student, was a caller the first part of the week. Miss Hodell has been with the Paine Lumber Co. of Oshkosh for the past year.

The basket ball team will go to Iowa Friday afternoon to play the Crescents a return game. We beat this team here a week ago by a large score and expect to come home with another victory to our credit. We play the St. Peter's Athletic team tonight on their floor and will be prepared to give them the game of their life.

## WHERE ARE THE POLES? CHARGE WAS NOT PROVEN

**Absence of Polish Names from Circuit Court Jury List Arouses Ire of Correspondent.**

Editor The Gazette:—Are the Poles sleeping in this county? Just recently the jury panel for the coming March term of circuit court was drawn and published. The writer does not know many of the jurors-to-be personally, but sincerely believes that they are honest, capable men, well qualified to do their duty as they understand it. And let it be distinctly understood that the writer has no enmity towards the jurors drawn. In Portage county there are about thirty thousand inhabitants of different nationalities, of which the predominating one is the Polish (about 14,000).

The Poles, it is conceded by all, are the leading farmers in this county; and another important point, which is conceded by all, is that Poles live and improve land which no other nationality could live on, and not only live upon them but cultivate these seemingly deserts of sand so that they become good farms. Is this a credit to the Poles and Portage county? Ask any citizen thereof and he will say it certainly is.

Do merchants of Stevens Point and the villages of this county cater to the Polish trade? This can be best answered by the merchants themselves. Do the officers of the state, county and city seek the Polish vote? This, too, can be best answered by the officers themselves. Do any of the former deserve one penny of their trade? They do not if they have any influence with the officers in power.

The Poles have been driven from time immemorial by the political bosses of this county for their own benefit; its high time that they take the bit into their teeth and drive the politicians.

I will give only one illustration of the injustice being done the Poles, but before I begin I will remind you, dear reader, upon what foundation our government is built. It is the principle of equality to all and favoritism to none. And next to the above principle is a right given by the constitution of the United States and state of Wisconsin that an accused person has a right to call for a jury and such jury is to be composed of his peers. What kind of a chance has a Pole before a jury that is prejudiced against him before they are sworn?

Now back to the jury that was drawn for this coming March term of circuit court. How many Polish citizens do you find amongst that list? Let the jury commissioners answer.

How many Polish names were on the list of two hundred recommended from the county? Let the jury commissioners answer.

How many Polish names were recommended from the city of Stevens Point? Let the jury commissioners answer.

The reason that I ask the jury commissioners to answer the above questions is because the writer is too ashamed to mention the almost minus quantity of names that appeared amongst the two hundred.

A Polish Citizen.

## New Plumbing Shop.

Martin Lee has rented one of the store rooms in the Atwell block on Main street, adjoining the Southwick & Sellers' offices, and within the next few days will open a plumbing establishment therein. He will carry a full line of plumbers' supplies, including bath tubs, lavatories, etc., and will be prepared to do everything in the line of plumbing, heating and repairing.

"Marty" has been a resident of Stevens Point a number of years, is well known in the city and neighboring towns in this and adjoining counties, and will spare no effort to please all who favor him with their patronage. He expects to be ready for business the latter part of this week.

## BACK FROM N. DAKOTA

**Stevens Pointers Inspect Big Tract of Farming Land in Northwest—Bring Samples of Soil and Coal.**

T. J. Anders and C. E. Van Hecke returned home Sunday morning from a ten days' trip to Dunn county, N. Dak., where they, J. P. Malick and T. H. Hanna own five sections of farming land. The visitors brought back a chunk of lignite coal which underlies a goodly portion of that country and a good-sized sample of the soil, a chocolate colored loam which varies in depth from six or eight inches to as many feet. The sub-soil is clay. Wonderful crops of wheat, alfalfa and flax are raised in Dunn county, but the Stevens Point landowners are handicapped for the present because of poor railroad facilities, the nearest station being 36 miles distant. A branch of the Northern Pacific will be built next season to within 25 miles of their property, and there is good reason to believe that the N. P. or some other road will come much closer within a year or two.

Messrs. Anders and Van Hecke went from here by train to Dickinson and hired a livery rig for the sixty mile drive to Manning, the county seat of Dunn county. Completing their business there, the next stop was near Bailey postoffice, some twenty miles distant, where they were entertained royally by Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Bailey. The lady will be kindly remembered here as Miss Lillian Soule, a niece of Mrs. D. J. Kelsey, whom she visited several times. The hospitality of the Baileys will ever be remembered by the visitors from Stevens Point.

If necessary arrangements can be made several hundred acres of land owned by the local quartette will be put into crops next season.

**Sam Werner, Charged With Stealing From the Person, Has Examination in County Court Today.**

Samuel Werner, a well known young news agent on the Soo line, having been employed by the Central and Soo companies for several years, was arrested at Abbotsford last Friday afternoon. He was taken into custody by W. A. Dunn, a railway detective and brought here and turned over to Chief of Police Hafsoos, who was responsible for bringing about the arrest. Werner was charged with robbing Stanislaus Michowski, 510 Prentice street, this city, of \$10 or more and a time check which had been issued by the Soo company for 18 days' work. When Michowski reached here at 2:13 Thursday afternoon he was the worse for having met convivial spirits at points up the line, and charges that the news agent followed him into the ladies' waiting room and there robbed him of the above valuables. There was one witness to this and others saw Warren run out and jump on the steps of a car as the train was pulling out.

Werner went through to Milwaukee, came back on No. 11, Friday, and was arrested when the train reached Abbotsford. His explanation is that on the way south from Abbotsford he bought a watch from Michowski, for which he paid him \$2.50, and then sold the latter a ring. Michowski had not paid for the ring when they arrived here, saying he could not find his money, and he followed him into the depot to help him search for the missing wealth. After getting aboard the train again he remembered that Michowski had been in the toilet department, and going in there found the pocketbook on the floor. It contained \$12.50, which he took out and threw the book away. Werner says he is 21 years of age, and that this is the first serious trouble he has ever been in. The examination was adjourned until today, bail being fixed at \$1,000, which was furnished, the bond being signed by R. B. Johnson in compliance with instructions from a Milwaukee bank.

The examination of Werner was commenced before Judge Murat this forenoon, Dist. Atty. Nelson appearing for the prosecution and B. B. Park for the defense. Four witnesses were examined for the prosecution, Louis Olson of Abbotsford, who claimed he saw the pocketbook in Werner's hands at the depot here, and Will Kusmal, Gertrude Whelock and Wm. Spade, who saw the two men together in the depot, but did not see the defendant take anything from the complainant. It is probable that Werner may be fined for petty larceny, but will not be held on the charge originally made, that of taking property from the person. The examination was not concluded when The Gazette went to press.

## Miss Moberg Breaks Leg.

Our Amherst items contain the welcome tidings that Miss Hattie Moberg of that village fell last Saturday and broke a bone in one of her lower limbs. Miss Moberg sprained an ankle some months ago, from the effects of which she was just recovering, and this second accident is therefore an unusually serious misfortune. The young lady published the Amherst Advocate for several years and she is a vice president of the Wisconsin Press Association.

## Mrs. Owen's Brother Dies.

Leonard A. Kurz, a prominent druggist at Oconomowoc and a brother of Mrs. W. F. Owen of this city, died very suddenly last Saturday morning. Mr. Kurz had been troubled with Bright's disease for some months, but was not confined to the house at all and his death was entirely unexpected. He was one of twin brothers, 30 years of age, and was married at Racine last fall to Miss Josephine Neukauf. The remains were taken to Oshkosh for burial. Mrs. Owen is suffering with an attack of the grip and was unable to attend the funeral.

## Over Forty Years Ago.

John E. Herron, who will be pleasantly remembered by many present and former Stevens Pointers as a bright, happy "sorrel-topped" lad in years gone by, but who is now a member of the firm of Pearson & Herron, wholesale and retail dealers in hay, corn, oats, feed, etc., 4734-4736 W. Kinzie street, Chicago, writes reminiscences to The Gazette as follows: In glancing over a Chicago paper one day last week, I happened to notice that Jacob Patch, one of the oldest preachers in the middle west, died at Stevens Point, aged 95 years. That takes me back to the scenes of my childhood, as far back as I can possibly remember. It must have been in the year 1869 or 1870, maybe before. He would drive down town and stop on the northeast corner of the square, in front of Dave Fitch's house, and hold open air meetings. How many of you remember those tall pine trees that stood there, and as I remember, he was an old man then. It seems incredible that he could live so long. I was raised within one block of the Curran House, and I can remember vividly some of the stirring events that took place. I think the Point in those days was the greatest little town on the map.

## City Wants Wood.

The board of public works of the city of Stevens Point will receive bids for 100 cords of mixed green hardwood, to be delivered at engine house No. 1. Bids will be received up to and including Thursday, Mar. 10, at 2 p. m. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Bids may be filed at city clerk's office.

M. V. Gross, City Clerk.

## Civic Improvement Program.

For next Saturday afternoon's meeting of the Woman's Club an interesting program has been prepared. It will be in charge of Mrs. C. B. Baker, as chairman of the civic improvement committee, and will commence at 3 o'clock. There should be a large attendance, as this will be the last business meeting of the year. Two weeks from that date the annual meeting of the club will be held.

## CHANCE TO SHOW TALENT

**Eight Valuable Prizes Offered for the Best Write-up on Stevens Point, Its Advantages, Etc.**

The Business Men's Association, desirous of advertising the city of Stevens Point to the best advantage, appointed a committee to formulate plans for a contest. This committee, after consultation with several of the business men of the city, has decided to offer prizes for the best "write-up" on the following subjects:

The undeveloped water power of Stevens Point.  
The unsurpassed school facilities of Stevens Point.

The best local views of Stevens Point, (any size.)

Stevens Point as a residence city.  
Stevens Point as a healthful city.  
The present industries of Stevens Point.

The proposed electric line and its advantages to Stevens Point.

The committee desires to make this contest open to all and it is hoped that every one who has the good of the city at heart will lend encouragement by either writing an article on one of the subjects or by lending support to those who do write. The prize articles are to be printed in pamphlet form and used to the best advantage where Stevens Point can be brought to the attention of the business world. The following rules will govern the contest:

1. Contest to close April 1, 1910.
2. No article to exceed fifteen hundred words.
3. Each competitor may write on as many subjects as he pleases.

## PRIZES.

Taylor Bros.—Fountain pen.  
Copps & Co.—Ton Diamond Lump.  
Lighting Co.—Gas range.  
Business College—One month tuition.  
H. D. McCulloch Co.—Order for \$5.00 worth of merchandise.

C. E. Emmons—Hand painted salad dish.

Jackson Milling Co.—Barrel Gold Crown flour.

## SWEETSTAKE.

Citizens National bank—\$10 in gold.

## Were Many Good Shots.

There was a large gathering at the Wisconsin River Gun Club headquarters and grounds, last Sunday, when several visitors from the city and elsewhere were nicely entertained, including W. E. Mensel and R. E. St. John of Green Bay, who are among the leading amateur shooters in the state, and H. R. Patterson, of Milwaukee, the well known professional who represents the U. M. C. company. The latter gentleman highly complimented Jack McCormick of our city on his new trap, of his own invention. Mr. Patterson saying it was one of the best he ever saw. The following scores were made out of 100 shots: R. E. St. John, 86; W. E. Mensel, 86; H. R. Patterson, 85; John McCormick, 82; Anton Christman, 80; R. B. Smiley, 75; F. A. Krembs, 60; Paul Woznicki, 60. John Lukaszevich, 40 out of 50. Franz Krembs, 15 out of 25. A contest between Frank Abb and Gus Rosenow, both of whom, while not professionals, are old time shots and noted fishermen, took place. While the latter won at this time, the alderman from the 2d ward promises to meet him again.

## RICH GIFT TO LIBRARY

**St. Joseph's Congregation Presents Public Library With Complete Set of the Catholic Encyclopedia.**

One of the most valuable gifts that has been presented to our public library, is a complete set of "The Catholic International Encyclopedia." This work consists of 15 volumes, costing \$120, and the first six volumes were on Tuesday presented by Rev. Henry J. Ehr in behalf of St. Joseph's congregation, including the following societies connected with that church: Branch No. 123, Catholic Knights of Wisconsin, St. Joseph's and St. Anna's societies, the Young Ladies' Sodality and the Boys' and Girls' Society. The seventh volume will soon be ready for delivery and the balance as rapidly as they are printed, which probably will be within the next three years.

Each volume is a large book of several hundred pages, handsomely illustrated, with many plates in several colors, and the covers are in half-morocco, while the work is printed on an excellent quality of book paper. It is from the presses of Robt. Appleton Co., New York, and each of the principal articles is signed by the author. Over 1,000 of the world's most eminent scholars, representing 27 nationalities, are among the contributors. There are 30 broad departments in the complete work, including art, painting, music, church and civil history, ethics, biography, science, education, etc.

The title page is inscribed to Father Ehr in recognition of his work as an auxiliary promoter and support on behalf of the publishers. No doubt scores of our citizens both Catholic and non-Catholic, will be interested in this work and pleased to know where they can in future go to look up or study questions such as only this work contains.

## A HOT TIME IS COMING

**There Will Be Plenty of Candidates for Local Offices at Coming Election—Dr. Walters in the Field.**

Election day is Tuesday, April 5th. Candidates for office have another month in which to file their nomination papers, but already the political pot is beginning to boil and a hot contest is expected for the offices of mayor and comptroller. As far as known at present there will be no opposition to F. E. Boyer, city treasurer, who seeks reelection.

The latest candidate for mayor is Dr. F. A. Walters, whose nomination papers are now being circulated. Dr. Walters belongs to the strenuous class of citizenship, and should he be elected chief executive of our city there will be "something doing" in a business way if this is at all possible.

As stated last week, the name of former mayor T. H. Hanna, will appear on the ballots as a candidate for mayor, and two other names are being frequently mentioned for this position of big honor and little money—those of Louis R. Anderson and Geo. L. Rogers, either or both of whom are able and capable men, but it is doubtful if either would accept.

It is understood that Jas. E. Rogers, former city clerk, will be a candidate for comptroller. The other names mentioned for this office are A. J. Cunneen, P. H. Cashion and J. D. Langosky, the nomination papers of Mr. Cunneen having already been circulated and signed and will be filed in due time.

## Jacob Childs is Now Oldest.

Through the death last week of Rev. Jacob Patch, who had reached the remarkable age of 95 years, Stevens Point's oldest living citizen is now Jacob Childs of 303 Center avenue, whose 92d birthday anniversary was observed the 14th of last October. Mr. Childs enjoys good health and gets about with the alacrity of the average man of sixty. He shows every indication of being able to pass the century mark in life's journey. Advocates of temperance and right living may truthfully consider Messrs. Patch and Childs as object lessons, as both were or are total abstainers.

## County Treasurer's Report.

The report of County Treasurer Dake for the month ending Feb. 23, is as follows:

Cash in treasury Feb. 1, 1910..... \$ 5,205.61  
Received during month..... 68,578.51  
Total..... \$73,784.12

DISBURSEMENTS.  
County orders..... \$11,567.71  
State tax..... 40,448.27  
Trust fund tax..... 3,471.57  
88 per cent fines paid state..... 71.00  
Suits tax paid state..... 71.00  
State school money..... 6,265.44  
Court certificates..... 52.18  
Telephone rent..... 8.35  
Exchange..... 17.55  
Witness fees..... 2.29  
Postage..... 1.00  
Total..... \$62,215.95

In Bank..... \$21,549.27  
Cash on hand..... 10.54  
Total..... \$21,559.81

Balance in treasury Mar. 1, 1910..... \$51,965.81

## Death of B. J. McMahon.

B. J. McMahon, a gentleman quite well known in Stevens Point, having visited here often in the past, died at the Bentley Hospital in Portage, last Friday evening, death being due to aneurism of the aorta, or a tumor thru which the blood passed, formed by a morbid dilatation of the coats of that artery. Mr. McMahon, who was a traveling salesman, had suffered greatly for more than a year past and had visited different parts of the world and consulted many eminent physicians with a hope of receiving relief, but all to no purpose. He was 49 years of age, a member of the Elks and Knights of Columbus lodges and is survived by three brothers, two of whom live at Portage and the other at Denver, Col. Interment took place from St. Mary's church, Portage, at 9:30 o'clock Monday morning.

## Letter From Father Hummel.

Rev. John Hummel, pastor at the Catholic Cathedral at Green Bay, sends The Gazette the following communication:

Editor Gazette: To judge from reports I have received from Stevens Point, many wrong impressions seem to prevail regarding the lawsuit of Frank Abb against the executor of the last will of Father Abb. My friends have asked for an explanation, and to satisfy them I will state the following facts: In his last will Father Abb directed the executor to collect his insurance and a note, and from the money thus obtained to pay the bequests. This is a plain fact and no misconception is possible. For if the bequests were not to be paid with the money received from the note and the insurance, from what resources should they be paid? There was no lawsuit necessary to unravel a tangle, because there was none. When Father Abb made his will he supposed he had a right to, and did intend to dispose of his benefits by his will. He stated his will in plain terms, gave his money to his brothers and sister share and share alike, and to charity, and believed that the fraternal societies would pay the money to the executor; nor would he have thought it possible that his brother would try to deviate from his intentions; nor would any man for that matter, have thought this possible who is acquainted with the fact that Father Abb paid the premiums and dues merely with the help of the St. Leo Benevolent society. The executor has been acting under the advice of his attorneys and has always been and is willing that his brother as well as the legatees should receive every cent. Rev. Abb intended they should receive. Rev. J. Hummel.



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## LETTER FROM HONOLULU

Former Lady Resident of Portage County Sends Interesting Message for Readers of the Gazette.

Editor The Gazette: This is a warm lovely summer morning, and as I am sitting here under the coconut tree, I stop to think of my dear old home state, Wisconsin, and my dear friends of bygone days, and wish to send through The Gazette, Aloha Oe and Aloha Mi to one and all. Aloha is the universal word of greeting in Hawaii, and really means every kindness, as my love to you. It is an old and good natured custom of the natives and it is pleasant as you pass along the roads on foot or horse back to be met with a smile and cheerful greeting. Aloha Mi signifies much love and welcome, while when it is Aloha Oe, it is friendship and gentle kindness. A native begins his letters with Aloha and ends with the same, and on calling at a native's home you use the same expression on arrival and departure. They are a very kind hearted race of people and from the poor to the richest, the great and small, all they need to do is to put their fingers on to anything with music, and start to sing and you will forget where you are, being lost in sweet sounds. A true Hawaiian will put all his spare time in with music. They are also great surf riders on boards and in canoes. It is a wonderful sight to see them stand up and waltz on the boards and also stand on their heads while riding through surf, which rolls from 5 to 7 feet high. This sport is carried on mostly at what is called the Outrigger club, at Waikiki beach. I also saw the "poi" made with the old board and stone maul, as they used years ago. Poi is made out of the root of a plant called Taro. It is a large root, like a lily bulb, and grows in a pool of water. They have the 1 and 2 finger poi and its a good drink. They also have native feasts for an excursion and are called Lu-wa. Everything is cooked in ashes, and covered to steam with teaki leaves, which is a seasoning like mint. As a Lu-wa you are supposed to eat with your fingers and enjoy raw fish, and there will be dozens of kinds. Then they have roast pig, and the drink of the Hawaiian is gin.

There are some large sugar mills here, two of which cost over five million dollars each. It takes nine months for the first sugar crop and eighteen months for the second crop. Then they must plant new seed. There is also a big pineapple cannery, where over a million cans are put up each season. It is a beautiful sight to see a field of apples just as they are ready to be canned, the green and yellow making a very pretty picture, and the fruit is delicious when freshly picked. Then comes the banana fields. They are planted in beds, lifted up quite high, and ditches on all sides that are kept filled with water. It takes 9 months for bananas to grow and ripen. Coconuts grow everywhere, and a fresh coconut is to be enjoyed. Each year a coconut tree puts on one ring around it, and if this be true, as the natives claim, there are trees 140 years old here. There are not as many flowers here as one would expect, but the green foliage is very beautiful. The palm drives are sights one will not soon forget. The city of Honolulu has a population of about 60,000 and is a very pretty place, with much wealth and good business. The people are all very religious. In order to hold a good position or get one, you must be in church circles. The Japanese and Chinese do the work. They have a fruit here called the Mapawa. In shape and color it is somewhat like a muskmelon and has the taste of pepsin, being a very healthy fruit. The chief places of interest are the Pail and Punchbow, Diamond Head and Haleiwa. The latter is 55 miles from Honolulu, on the Oahu railroad, where the surf rolls 20 feet high. Nearly every way for 15 to 20 miles the roads are like a paved street. Motor cars are numerous, and the Pail drive is beautiful. You go up 15 hundred feet and look down the valley. Here is where many lives have been lost by driving over the edge.

Christmas day was very warm. In the forenoon, under the palms and Chinese bean trees, they had a Christmas tree for the poor children, fifteen hundred little hearts being made happy. This too is also called Mav-keaina tree, meaning a stranger with good cheer. They use fireworks in celebrating Christmas and it seemed like the 4th of July to me. In the afternoon we had a real old fashioned thunder storm and I imagined I was in Wisconsin for a time. On New Year there was the usual noise that all towns have. I return to Seattle in February on the S. S. Makura of the Canadian-Australian Royal Mail line and hope the year 1910 will be the banner year for old Wisconsin, and all my old time friends. Aloha Oe to all.

Bessie Shelburn Sandahl.  
Honolulu, Hawaii, Jan. 25, 1910.

## Observed at Palaski.

The students of St. Bonaventure's College, Palaski, celebrated Washington's birthday. There were a few speeches in English and Polish concerning Washington's life and his bravery at war and also a few declamations. This was followed by a drama, "Hypnotist," and moving pictures were shown by Prof. A. L. Brylski. There was a large attendance. About two weeks ago the students had their oral as well as their written examinations. This college will be enlarged in the spring, for there is now room enough for only 50 students.

## Baby Wants a Home.

Rev. P. Petersen, superintendent of the Orphans Home Finding Association of Wisconsin, was in Stevens Point last week on his annual visit. He said that he would be glad to find some good homes where a baby would be welcome. So, if there are any good people in this locality who would like to adopt a baby, son or daughter, they should write to the office, 819 Cora street, St. A., Green Bay, Wis.

## Auction Sale.

On Wednesday, March 9th, on my farm 2 miles southeast of Plover, I will sell at auction Guernsey cows (tuberculosis tested), Poland China hogs, horses, farm machinery and tools of all kinds. Everything must be sold regardless of value. F. G. Pattee.

## CUTS SOME ICE ON PAYDAY

Gerry" Dahl Tells What He Knows About Street Cars—Also Gives a Few Other Pointers.

The Cleveland Press: Gerhard M. Dahl, the \$12,000 city street railway commissioner who has been selected by Mayor Baehr, is connected with the law firm of M. B. & H. H. Johnson, attorneys for the Lake Shore Electric Railway Co. He has been in court many times, conducting the railway's side of suits.

He came to Cleveland in September, 1906, only three years and a half before receiving the best paying municipal job ever given out in Cleveland.

Dahl began the practice of law in Waupaca, Wis. He says Waupaca has a population of 3,000. Waupaca can't boast of rush hours.

From Waupaca he went to Stevens Point, also Wis., a more metropolitan place. It has a population of 10,000. Naturally Stevens Point is a great deal livelier than Waupaca.

"No, Stevens Point has no street cars," said Dahl when a Press man questioned him Friday about the traction problems of that city.

The new commissioner has a sense of humor. His eyes twinkled and said plainly, "Go ahead and 'kid' me."

"You had no opportunity, then, to study municipal transportation in Stevens Point?" he was asked.

"No," replied Dahl.

"And you first saw an electric—?"

"Before I came to Cleveland."

"Have you ever been on the South Side?"

"Oh, yes," said Dahl. "I know where the South Side is. I know where the West Side is, too."

(The West Side rolled up a beautiful majority against Dahl when he ran for city solicitor last fall.)

"How did you get acquainted with the geography of Cleveland?"

"In four political campaigns in which I went to every corner of it," he answered. The smile disappeared, and a long, scrapping jaw snapped, and he said, seriously, "I don't feel that I know the geography of the city. But I intend to get acquainted with it pretty quick."

"Do you own an automobile?"

"No, I ride in the street cars," said Dahl. "If I could afford to own an auto, I would have one."

"When did you begin to study the local street car question?"

"In the campaign against the Schmidt grant."

"In a few words, how do you regard the street railway commissioner's position?"

"He is the policeman on the job, to see that the city's interests are protected."

Dahl has not made any plans. He may take office next Tuesday, after being confirmed by council. He may not take it until March 1.

The Taylor ordinance gives him the right to employ such assistants, engineers, accountants, clerks and other employees as he deems necessary, not

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exceeding in salaries 1 per cent. of the operating expenses. Dahl says he has not yet considered what he will do, employ these men permanently or as needed. It has been rumored that Warren S. Bicknell, receiver of the Municipal Traction Co., would be the assistant, but Dahl says he had not made any selection.

"Under the ordinance the commissioner is the adviser of the council," said Dahl. "He has no power to compel the railway to do anything, or prevent it from doing anything. That power is lodged in the council. The commissioner can only notify the council of what is going on and advise it and make suggestions. Council is then the responsible party."

IT CUTS SOME ICE ON PAYDAY.

Judge Taylor gets \$6,000 a year—\$500 a month.

Mayor Baehr gets \$10,000—a little over \$833 a month.

Gerhard M. Dahl, as street railroad commissioner, will get \$12,000 a year—\$1,000 a month.

Taylor's ordinance created Dahl's job; Baehr gave him it.

Won't Dahl give Taylor and Baehr the laugh on payday?

For Sale at a Bargain.

Having obtained a valuable home-stead, S. S. Mills finds it advantageous to sell his property located on South Minnesota avenue, Stevens Point, consisting of nine room house and five and one-half acres. Might accept horses, cattle, farm implements, etc., in part payment. Must be sold before March 15th. Address Wallace F. Mills, 4732 State street, Chicago, Ill.

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Is a Welcome Visitor.

Chas. A. Glocksine, a former Stevens Point young man who recently moved from North Dakota to Spokane, Wash., writes: Enclosed find money order in payment for The Gazette. Its a welcome visitor every Saturday. Folks all well and we are having nice weather now.

Avoid the Cheap and "Big Can" Baking Powders.

The cheap baking powders have but one recommendation; they certainly give the purchaser plenty of powder for his money, but it's not all baking powder; the bulk is made up of cheap materials that have no leavening power. These powders are so carelessly made from inferior materials that they will not make light, wholesome food. Further, these cheap baking powders have a very small percentage of leavening gas; therefore it takes from two to three times as much of such powder to raise the cake or biscuit as it does of Calumet Baking Powder. Therefore, in the long run, the actual cost to the consumer of the cheap powders is more than Calumet would be. Cheap baking powders leave the bread sometimes bleached and acid, sometimes yellow and alkaline, and often unpalatable. They are never of uniform strength and quality.

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## The Rural Carriers.

At the meeting of rural route carriers held at Amherst on Washington's birthday, officers for the ensuing year were also elected as follows:

Pres.—Ben E. Halverson, Rosholt. V. Pres.—Wm. Black, Stevens Point. Sec.—A. J. Wilson, Amherst.

Treas.—Theo. Kubisiak, Amherst Junction.

Representative to state convention—P. J. Engum, Amherst Junction; alternate, Dan Maddy, Stevens Point.

## Local News Notes.

For sale, pleasant residence and lots on N. Second street. Bargain for some one. Enquire of Teofil Krutza.

Atty. W. Stanley Smith, of Glidden, spent Friday forenoon in Stevens Point while on his way home from Madison.

Mrs. Eugene Tack spent a part of last week visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. J. Van Laanen, at North Fond du Lac.

Miss Mina Andrews, who is employed as a stenographer at Grand Rapids, spent a part of last week with her mother on Normal avenue.

Lloyd D. Smith, now connected with the legal firm of E. L. and E. E. Browne, of Waupaca, was a business visitor to the city last Thursday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Marcoe at North Fond du Lac, on the 16th ult. The mother was formerly Miss Mary Schriener, of this city.

In remitting his subscription for The Gazette, paying to July, 1911, L. M. Dingman, of Green Bay, says: We are always glad to read your paper and keep in touch with things at Stevens Point.

Peter Trierweiler, Jr., horse shoeing, general blacksmithing and all kinds of wood working. Special attention given to all work. Replacing and putting on rubber tires. Brick shop, 308 Clark street.

Mrs. Grace Leary Thiele, of Winona, Minn., is visiting at the old home in this city. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Will Clifford, who had been visiting at Winona for several weeks.

Mrs. Ina McDonald, housekeeper for P. J. Jacobs, has returned from Augusta, where she attended a family reunion for a few days. One sister was present whom she had not seen before in twenty years.

Barney Lorbicki and Florian Petta, of Rhinelander, both former residents of this county, have been here for several days, coming down to procure financial aid for a new Catholic church recently organized among the Polish people of that city.

Thad Watts was taken to the Oshkosh asylum, Friday morning, having been declared insane, but it is expected that he will fully recover his mental balance in a short time. Watts, who is about 52 years of age, has always made Stevens Point his home.

The state school money apportioned to the city, villages and towns of the county, the various amounts apportioned to each having been heretofore published, is now available and can be procured by the respective treasurers by calling upon County Treasurer Dake.

## Prompt Payment.

Jas. H. Bellinger, who died in North Dakota, Jan. 31st, and whose remains reached here Feb. 4th and were buried the following day, carried an insurance of \$2,000 in the Modern Woodmen of America order, being a member of Eureka Camp of this city. After his funeral blank proofs of death had to be sent to North Dakota for signatures and then returned to this city and forwarded to the head camp in Illinois. Notwithstanding all this delay, a check for the above amount was received here on the 24th, just 19 days after the funeral, and paid to the heirs.

## Interested in Local Affairs.

I shall be especially interested in local affairs in the approaching selection of city officials. The question of mayor is that of "mayor or martyr." "The laborer is worthy of his hire," and a man in whatever capacity should receive a just return in money for the time necessarily expended. There are some, however, who aspire to the office that they may serve their cities without a price being set on their capabilities and usefulness, for it is true that \$300 or \$600 a year is no just return for the position and the qualifications of the mayor in Stevens Point or any other city of importance. A mayor at the head of affairs can do more to promote the prosperity and advancement of a city than all other factors combined. While other officers have their duties in all departments, it is the head and front that counts every time. One brain, one intellect to guide all the other intelligence into the proper channels.

I have found that a city with the most conscientious council has its light under a bushel unless the mayor is the proper diamond in the council's golden setting—the setting of intelligence holding firm the radiant diamond which spreads its rays to the glory of all concerned. But let the settings hold a pebble, a worthless stone, and all the rays of intelligence are lost.


A man's worth cannot be measured by dollars and cents, and every conscientious man deprecates the fact that money must be considered, but man must live, and a clear brain depends upon clean "jeans" and a full stomach. So let us pay at least bread and butter wages, and pay it to the right man in the right place. Ben C. Hall, Butler, Ky., Feb. 21, 1910.

## Small Wreck on the Soo.

The engine of a wrecking train on the Soo crashed into a caboose at the rear end of a logging train that stood on the main track, at Cadott, on Thursday afternoon of last week, but fortunately no one was injured except Conductor Hagenah, of Abbotsford, who was in the caboose, and escaped with slight bruises. The caboose took fire and was destroyed. The wrecking train was going to Colfax to replace some derailed cars at the time of the accident.

## An Early Day Resident.

Henry Lauer, of St. Paul, arrived in the city Friday afternoon and spent a few days visiting with relatives and friends here, in Sharon and Stockton, having a sister, Mrs. Nic Juving, and a brother-in-law, John Britz, in the latter town. Mr. Lauer is a former Stevens Point resident, leaving for St. Paul in 1881, where for many years he has been a leading contractor and is now among the well-to-do residents of the capitol city of Minnesota.



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## just a neighborly talk:

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Despite the early handicaps of location, limitation and competition, the Northwestern's liberality to policyholders, coupled with its remarkably low rate of expense for operating (for more than 30 years the lowest in the United States), the saving in mortality, from care in the selection of risks, and the high earning power of its assets, has made it one of the most prominent insuring and financial institutions in the United States.

Wisconsin has always been intimately connected with the affairs of this great company; 36 of its choicest pioneer citizens were its charter members and thousands of the sons and daughters of the Badger State have shared its half-century of endeavor and beneficence. Wisconsin men have always managed the Northwestern and its present official and operating force is composed of Wisconsin citizens. Of its 36 trustees, 25 are residents of Wisconsin. There are 6 general agencies in Wisconsin and each of these employs many district and sub-agents. January 1, 1910, the company had outstanding 34,151 policies on the lives of Wisconsin men, and, some day, the company will pay Wisconsin beneficiaries on account thereof, more than \$75,000,000.

So the Northwestern is truly the HOME COMPANY, which has amply repaid Wisconsin in money and honor for its organization.

Speaking of money: The Northwestern has been liberal to Wisconsin. Disregarding payments for salaries, supplies, and the like, it has paid Wisconsin policyholders and their beneficiaries a total of \$17,533,535.07 for death claims and endowments.

It has outstanding \$2,639,221.67 to Wisconsin men on account of policy loans.

It has also now loaned \$5,542,732.50 to Wisconsin borrowers on the security of real estate mortgages.

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## KITCHEN UTENSILS.

What a Bride Will Need in Her New Home.

Furnishing a kitchen seems a costly and difficult task to the newly married woman who must purchase every spoon, pan, brush, etc., for use in her new home.

That baking pans, those for muffins, cake tins, kettles for boiling and dishes for baking must be provided she knows and notes them down cheerfully, and broom, dustpan, pail and mop she will also think of, but she is not likely to provide a short brush for the stairs nor a second dustpan, the latter to be held in reserve in the kitchen, for the one that is used on a greasy floor must not be put on carpets.

Soap dishes over the sink and a soap cage to hold the small pieces must be on the list. At least one dishpan and a drainer are necessary, while a dishcloth and certainly six towels are indispensable.

A colander, a small and medium sized strainer, a double boiler, a frying pan and one deep kettle for fat, a broiler for fish and another for steak are among the necessities. Dishes for putting away food in the refrigerator will be needed, as will a rolling pin and board, and if desserts are to be made small molds must be bought.

A mat to put on the floor in front of a sink is a necessity, not a luxury, for this is a place that is often wet, and the floor cannot be kept clean if the wood is soaked all the time. A wooden roller and towels for it must be part of the equipment. A poker, coal hod—two of the latter, one used for ashes, the other for coal—will be needed, and possibly a shovel for coal will be necessary; also two or three chairs, a table and a cover for it and a lamp if electricity is the lighting agent, for economy must be practiced in the lighting of a house.

Wooden spoons and tin ones, large and small knives, forks, etc., may be bought in large numbers. Butter paddles for balls are wanted to make that table commodity look attractive. An ice pick, one garbage can or perhaps two and a brush and shovel for the sink are also necessary.

Even the thickest laundry brings the need for clothespins, line and basket, as well as washboard and boiler, although in apartments where the water is very hot the tin cooker is not always required.

A young housekeeper whose new cook makes constant demands upon her for utensils will find after careful inquiry as to the reason for these requests that the woman is not asking for fancy articles, and so she should do her best to supply all pans, etc., that are needed every day.

## The Fascination of Skiing.

In Norway skiing is a means of getting about as well as a fine sport during a great part of the year. And in our own country where the weather conditions are propitious smart society



WHEN SHE GOES SKIING.

women are going in for the fun of a motion on these funny looking Norwegian skates. The costume illustrated is one to be worn by a girl in Canada this winter, where she expects to be one of a large skiing party.

## To Avoid Wrinkles.

When carrying several boxes in a suitcase place them all on a padded coat hanger so that the width of the blouse will run along the length of the suitcase. In this way the crease from folding will come at the waist line and will not be seen when the blouse is worn. The hanger will be found useful at the journey's end, since the blouse will be hung on it during the visit.

To keep a plaited skirt fresh looking haste all the plaits in place before packing. This will obviate the necessity for pressing it at the end of the journey.

Throughout the trunk or suitcase lay a roll of crushed tissue paper within the fold of every garment to keep the sharp crease from forming and save your paper for the home journey if you are a provident being.

## A MENIAL DIPLOMAT

By NATHAN HARDY.

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One morning about the middle of the last century a French fleet had been disabled in a storm off Sokatra and put into Aden, a British port, for repairs. Now, the British fleet has always been used to prowling about looking for a bone with plenty of marrow in it, and if he observes another animal going in an unexplained direction he immediately scents a feast. In other words, Englishmen have occupied every desirable vacant point on the face of the earth.

Naturally when the governor at Aden saw so formidable a fleet he wondered what was its object. He asked the French admiral, and the admiral averred that the ships were making an ordinary cruise, but the Britisher knew very well that vessels in those days did not make ordinary cruises in fleets, and his curiosity was sharpened by the evasive reply. Believing that some move of importance politically was on foot, he gave orders that the repairs on the vessels should be dragged along as far as possible and in order to avert any suspicion as to the cause of the delay that might arise in the minds of the French officers arranged for a series of functions for their entertainment.

For a couple of weeks the French and British officers fraternized while the work on the vessels was pursued with a pretense of activity, but with little accomplished. During this period the Britishers made every effort to learn the Frenchmen's secret. The French are not a secretive people, but for once the mouths of the French officers on the subject of their intentions were shut like clam shells.

And so long as men alone had the matter in hand the secret might have been kept forever. Wheeling information is a province especially belonging to women. The governor, despairing of inducing the Frenchmen to speak, asked his wife to help him. He was met by the simple reply, "Why didn't you ask me before?"

"Katie," she called.

A trim serving maid whose pink and white complexion denoted that she hailed from Ireland came into the room.

"Katie," said her mistress, "what are your intentions with reference to that young French sailor who is attentive to you?"

"Please, m'm, it's only sparkin'."

"Do you love him better than your government?"

"Oh! don't love him at all, m'm. Leastways it's only French love because us, and that's no love at all, at all."

"His excellency is anxious, Katie, to learn to what point the French fleet will sail after leaving Aden. Do you think you could find out from the sailor?"

"Oh! thry, m'm."

Well, try, and if you succeed I'll have something handsome for you."

In a day or two the French sailor, who was a petty officer on board one of the French ships, came to see Katie. During his visits he had been used to taking an occasional kiss. This time he was refused.

"D'ye think," said Katie, "that O'll be givin' ye kisses and ye goin' away to Maddygus or some other haythen place and never see me again?"

"I not go so far as zat," the Frenchman protested.

"How far ye goin', then?"

"Oh, we go west."

"To France?"

"Non."

"To Ameriky?"

"Non, I don't know."

"Then ye'll get no kiss."

"Why you wish to know?"

"O! don't let a fella kiss me an' thin go to the other side o' the world."

The banter was kept up for some time, Katie's red lips being very near those of the Frenchman. At last, hungry for the kiss, he gave up the secret.

As soon as he had gone Katie sought her mistress. The governor was present.

"He towid me, m'm."

"Where do they go?" asked the governor eagerly.

"It's a place called Parim."

"Parim?"

"Yis, sor, Parim."

"You mean Perim."

"Yis, sor, Parim."

The governor opened his eyes. De Lesseps had just completed his arrangements for building the Suez canal, and when it was finished Perim Island would be of great importance as commanding the southern entrance to the Red sea, a part of the waterway connecting two hemispheres. It was, of course, the intention of the French admiral to occupy it and hold on it the tricolor of France.

Secretly giving orders for a gunboat to immediately sail with a detachment of British soldiers under cover of the night and occupy the island, the governor invited the French officers (who were about to sail) to a farewell banquet and ball for the day but one following. The admiral was loath to delay sailing, but could not well decline having placed himself under obligations in the matter of repairs for his fleet. The dinner came off, and while the Frenchmen were eating it the governor had news that Perim had been occupied by British soldiers.

When the French admiral reached his point of destination and saw the British flag flying there he knew that his secret had escaped. But he never knew that it had been revealed by one of his petty officers to an Irish girl of no higher degree than the maid of the governor's wife.

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Gentlemen—In 1903 and 1904, I was a terrible sufferer for about five months with kidney and bladder trouble. I could not sleep nights and was obliged to get up ten or fifteen times to urinate. I passed mucus and blood continually. One doctor said I was going into consumption and gave me up to die. Had two other doctors but received no help from either of them and am sure I would have been in my grave had I not seen your advertisement in the "Daily Eagle-Star." After taking several bottles, I was entirely cured.

In the last two years I have been a railroad freeman and have passed two examinations for my kidneys successfully so that I know that my kidneys are now in excellent condition as a result of your great preparation.

Yours very truly,  
George Kensler,  
1422 Mary street.

Personally appeared before me this 25th of September, 1909, George Kensler, who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.

Henry Graess,  
Notary Public, Door County, Wis.

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Send to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling all about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention Stevens Point Gazette. For sale at all drug stores. Price fifty cents and one dollar.

The submarine vessels may be used in other ways than in war. The exploit at Toulon, France, when a submarine dived below a sinking ship and held it up until the crew could be taken off was remarkable. And it speaks volumes for the coolness and quickness of the officers in charge.

A Jerseyman won't permit any flying over his property. This may go for aviators, but who is going to make the mosquitoes observe it?

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**Grows Hair and we can PROVE IT!**

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Free To show how quickly Danderine grows the hair, we will send a large sample free by return mail to anyone who sends this free coupon to the Binghamton, N. Y., office, with the name of the drug store, and 10c in silver or stamps to pay postage.

## "A Successful Wife"

—the big serial story just starting in the March Everybody's—is the fascinating recital of the soul-racking experiences through which a clear-eyed, clever woman wins success as a wife. It is a big modern romance of everyday life.

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Get aboard.

For sale by  
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W. H. Skinner.

## Going Out of Business.

A \$10,000 stock of merchandise must be sold below cost. S. Branta & Son have leased my building on west side of public square, having rented the same for a term of five years, and my store fixtures and salon fixtures are for sale, and hay scales for rent. A big sale now going on.

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You can beat our prices on art square, lace curtains, crockery, cut glass, furniture, lenoxum, silverware, bed spreads, portiers and all household necessities. One-fourth off on everything this month. Everything new and up-to-date. Same price to all, cash or on time.

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Just as long as men will Steal, Counterfeit and Imitate just that long does it seem necessary for us to caution our friends and customers to

**Beware of Men Who Falsely Claim** their so-called medicines and other goods "just as good," or "about the same" as Rawleigh's.

Irresponsible, unscrupulous, dishonest persons are every day making this or similar statements and trying to deceive our friends and customers here and there all over the country. These rascals are trying to reap a benefit from the reputation our goods have all over the United States. Some of them even go so far as to claim they are exactly the same goods, only made by a different chemist.

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Every genuine Rawleigh product has the **QUALITY MARK** on it—the Trade-mark

Just Like This **Rawleigh's**

And we want you and every other friend to look sharp for this Trade-mark on every Rawleigh product, because we put it there for both your protection and ours.

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Imitation is the sincerest flattery, but be careful that they do not fool you.

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## SOUTH SIDE AND RAILROAD

Personal and News Items of More or Less Importance to Readers of The Gazette.

Miss Iva Swift, of Waupaca, is a guest at the home of R. D. Miner on South Church street.

Archie Hubbard and Martin Bender were up from North Fond du Lac to spend Sunday at home.

Mrs. Frank Stockley and children left for a visit to Minneapolis and Abbotford, the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. B. Marshall had been spending a few days with their daughter, Mrs. R. A. Hanke, at North Fond du Lac.

Among those who were here from North Fond du Lac last Sunday, were Miss Ruth Finney, Will Joseph and Garrett Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eddy and children were visitors at North Fond du Lac, the last of the week, guests of her sister, Mrs. Finney.

George Ross, of Dale, spent Saturday and a part of Sunday in the city, a guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. G. E. Smith, 230 Madison street.

Rev. James Blake, pastor of the Baptist church, has received a formal call to become pastor of Grace Baptist church in Milwaukee, but his many Stevens Point friends trust that he will decline.

Miss Myra Rosenow left for Chicago, last week, to accept a position as stenographer in a law office in which her sister, Miss Clara, has been employed for some time. Both young ladies are graduates of the Stevens Point business college.

Mrs. Bertha Reid, who now resides at Grand Rapids, Minn., spent a part of last week visiting at the home of her brother, W. E. Kingsbury, and among her many friends, leaving for Wausau, Saturday, to spend some time with her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Z. Crosby, of Ward county, N. D., have been in the city for several days, guests at the home of their brother-in-law, T. H. Ellis, on Dixon street. They are on an extended trip "back east," stopping at different places to visit relatives and friends.

Chet. Gardiner, who is now engineer on the local freight between this city and Abbotford, has rented the Wm. Calkins house, one door north of engine house No. 2, and will ship his household goods from Marshfield this week. Their many friends will welcome the return of Mr. and Mrs. Gardiner to Stevens Point.

The contractors for the new cross-country extension of the Northwestern from Milwaukee to Sparta have made arrangements with the Soo line to concentrate a large part of their equipment at a point about 100 rods south of Packwaukee Junction, and the Soo has

had a crew there for about a week laying 1,000 feet of sidetrack for their accommodation. The new line will cross the Fox river at that point at a height of thirty-six feet above the water and will also cross the Soo line overhead on a bridge.

## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Articles and Items of News that Appeared in the Columns of The Gazette, Quarter of a Century Ago Today.

Emmons Burr, cashier of the Commercial bank, has been a great sufferer for several days with an ear difficulty which affected the whole side of his face.

Dr. Spencer Ide returned here yesterday, after an absence of several months. He recently graduated from Rush Medical College and will practice his profession in this city.

Announcement has been received of the marriage of Miss Bessie, daughter of Dr. Remington, formerly of this city, to G. Lind, which occurred last Monday. Both young people are residents of Antigo.

Mrs. Frank Muzzy, of Jordan, was buried in the Episcopal cemetery in this city, yesterday forenoon. She had been ill but a short time before her death and was a lady highly respected by those who knew her.

An Apollo club has been organized in this city and will hereafter practice on Monday and Wednesday evening of every week at the Stevens Point rink. There are two sides, under C. H. Grant and V. Quimby as captains.

Thorwald Olson is now the owner of the C. Hogenson residence on the North Side, which had been used as a Scandinavian boarding house for years prior to a few months ago. The owner is a young man, just married, and took possession on Monday last.

A. J. Demeules and family are now nicely located in the residence on Clark street, formerly occupied by L. R. Lamb. Mrs. Jennie A. Demeules, of Sioux Rapids, Minn., arrived here the first of the week and will make her home with her brother-in-law. She intends to engage in the millinery business.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Oesterle, of the town of Sharon, recently became the parents of a baby boy. Jos. Oesterle, the grandfather of the little fellow, is no less happy and says that the child can already play upon numerous musical instruments—with assistance of course—being a "chip of the old block," as it were.

Dr. H. M. Waterhouse, who has had charge of the Stevens Point branch of the American Hospital Aid Association for the past two years, will leave for Minneapolis in a few days to take charge of the company's growing interests there. The hospital here will be in charge of Dr. A. W. Trevitt. Mrs. Trevitt is also a physician and will assist her husband.

Don R. Chamberlain, accompanied by his brother Frank, arrived home last Saturday evening. The latter was dangerously sick with pneumonia and rheumatism during the previous eight weeks at Sioux City, Iowa, and Don was called there to care for him. Frank had been traveling for a Nebraska firm. He is slowly improving and will remain in this section in the future, as he experienced poor health during the entire time he was in the west.

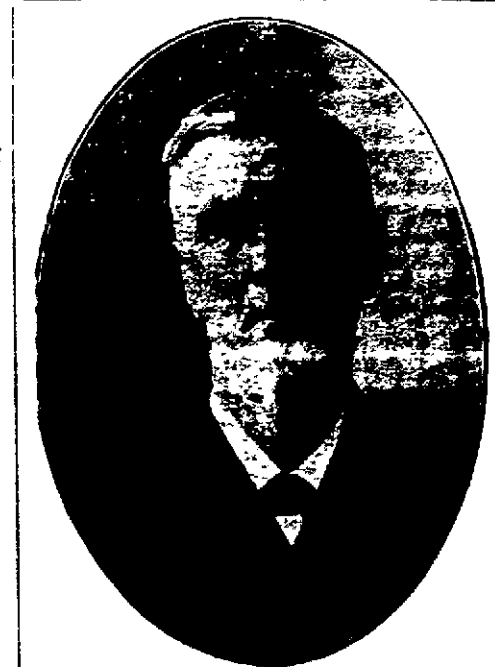
## IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIES

Funeral of Rev. Jacob Patch and Mrs. F. G. Minnebeck, Friday and Saturday, Were Largely Attended.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Fred G. Minnebeck was held from the family home on Strong's avenue, thence to the Episcopal church, at 10:45 last Saturday forenoon. At the residence the officers of Arbutus Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, conducted impressive services, with Mrs. F. S. Hyer as Worthy Matron, Mrs. C. B. Baker as assistant Worthy Matron, Miss Ada Moen as Adah, Miss Anna Wright as Esther, Mrs. F. H. Murray as Martha, Mrs. N. A. Week as Electa, and Mrs. Mary Redfield as chaplain. A vocal solo, "Just the Way," a favorite of the deceased, was sweetly and impressively rendered by Mrs. F. K. Sechrist. A quartette, Mrs. W. W. Gregory, Miss Jessie Hill, W. J. Shumway and Dr. Southwick, sang "Nearer My God to Thee." At the church the services were conducted by Rev. Father Thompson, and beautiful hymns, that had been selected by Mrs. Minnebeck, were sung by Miss Kate Ball. The members of the Eastern Star, about thirty in number, acted as an escort to the remains, and the funeral was largely attended. Among those present from outside the city were Mrs. G. W. Utter of Fond du Lac, Mrs. B. F. Bowen of Minneapolis, Mrs. L. J. Seeger, Mrs. John Ray and Mrs. Durland of Abbotford, and Mrs. Thos. T. Gray and daughter of Rib Lake. The numerous floral offerings consisted of several handsome designs, beside wreaths, etc. Interment followed in Forest cemetery. The pallbearers were R. A. Cook, E. J. Pfiffer, E. H. Joy, B. B. Park, W. J. Shumway and D. E. Frost.

REV. JACOB PATCH.

The remains of the late Rev. Jacob Patch were laid at rest in Forest cemetery last Friday afternoon. There was a brief prayer service at the house at 2:30, led by Rev. J. L. Marquis, of Neenah, followed by services at the Presbyterian church, which were largely attended. A special quartette consisting of W. B. Buckingham, W. J. Shumway, Dr. Southwick and Prof. Collins sang hymns, Mrs. Buckingham presiding at the piano. The services consisted of scripture reading by Rev. Mr. Marquis, a prayer by Rev. Jos. Brown of Marshfield, a merited eulogy and beautiful tribute to the life and work of the deceased by Rev. John A. Stemen, of this city, in which he said in part: Where the high mountains of New England from the north gradually melt into hills and narrow valleys in Middlesex county, Massachusetts, was born Jacob Patch five months before the battle of Waterloo in 1815. He was fortunate in his birthplace at Groton, where there were fine schools and where Dr. John Todd, one of the leading divines of his time, was the pastor of the Congregational church. Here he received those early conservative lessons in theology and life which followed him all his days. Early in his life he came to the Western Reserve in northern Ohio, to Hudson, the seat of Western Reserve College. Here he graduated in the class of 1842 and from the divinity department in 1846, and in 1846 he was ordained to the gospel ministry at Orland, Indiana. Father Patch had an interesting and robust personality. A cross between Elijah and Elias. He was a preacher of the old school as far as theology was concerned, but not the less in sympathy with all modern methods for the advancement of the cause of Christ's kingdom. Then what a wise counsellor and friend he always was to hosts of men and women in all parts of this state! The Patch home has been a stopping place for all those who would, during more than forty years, accept their large hearted hospitality. There was no prophet's chamber in this home, but all the house belonged to those who cared to cast their lot with these saints of God. As his pastor during these last four and more years, I count it a



THE LATE REV. JACOB PATCH.

real pleasure to testify that in all these years he never by so much as a suggestion tried to hinder my work as a younger man in this parish. Rather in every way and at all times he has been most helpful to me in carrying forward the work of our Lord and Master in this city. And then what a man of faith he was. He never doubted that his Father would lead him in his path sloping upward. He lived near God and so it was fitting, as he had so often said to me, that he should some day walk so far with his Father that he would forget to return. And so he did last Monday afternoon fail to wake up in this world, but in that unseen world what new glories must have burst on his sight as he beheld his King in his beauty. But more than all else Father Patch was a great christian. Surely he delighted in God's ways and if any soul ever leaned upon his Lord, certainly this father in Israel did. In the library of his home, where it has so often been my privilege to read the Book and offer prayers, there gathers a new sacredness, now that he has put off weakness and put on might. His mind remained clear to the last and with slight forgetfulness at times, it was all the more apparent what a clear and open mind he had to the end. He is here—a watcher not a critic; here to bless and not to rebuke; here to use all the old words of love with larger meanings; here to assume us that death is not the doorkeeper of heaven. I will not say that Father Patch is dead, he is only absent. I

# New Arrivals in Spring Goods

## SPECIAL VALUES IN

### Laces and Embroideries, White Goods, Wash Goods, Ladies' Suits and Skirts

Corset Cover Embroideries,	from 16c to 75c
Embroidery Flouncings,	from 23c to 75c
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Laces, all kinds and widths,	from 2c to 20c
Ladies' Suits	from \$10.00 to \$30.00
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The New Military Cape	from \$10.00 up

Now is the time to order your New Suits. We make Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits to order, all hand tailored. Prices from \$13.50 up.

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## KUHL BROS.

will speak to him. No impatient question will I ask. I will say "Loved one, husband, father, pastor, friend, we will soon—quite soon—almost immediately join thee and so shall be forever with the Lord."

Mr. Stemen's touching address was followed by a short review of Mr. Patch's life during the past thirty years by Rev. James Wilson, of Merrill, during which period he had known Mr. Patch and worked with him as a member of the Presbyterian committee. Mr. Patch examined the speaker when he was admitted as a probationer and later assisted in his ordination. Mrs. T. H. Hay sang "Face to Face" most beautifully and feelingly. Other clergymen present were Rev. W. M. Morrison of Athens and Rev. S. A. Martin of Oxford, while Elder Jas. Montgomery represented the Wausau church. The relatives from outside were Dr. and Mrs. Campbell, of Canfield, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Patch, of Milwaukee. The pallbearers were W. P. Buckingham, W. J. Shumway, W. H. Coye, C. H. McCready, J. V. Collins and H. C. Welty.

Phillips Times: Rev. Jacob Patch preached to us in pioneer days, making regular visits here. He was then in charge of a Presbyterian church at Stevens Point and his trips up the line were made in true missionary spirit. That was over thirty years ago and we considered him an old man then, and he was in years, but not in vigor and kindly qualities of heart. In his spirit he was as young as any of us. Those who had homes strove with one another to see which might win the pleasure of his company, and especially where there was children there was great joy in the home that sheltered him. Such a soul as he had was of God and for God. The news of his death has a special sadness for the First Presbyterian church of Phillips. It was organized by him and we affectionately call him its father and founder.

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- Halibut Bloaters Finnan Haddies
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10 pounds Granulated Sugar for.....	43c
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4 packages Seeded Rasins for.....	27c
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2 ten pound pails Corn Syrup for.....	67c
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One-half pound Ground Black Pepper.....	for 1.25
7 pounds Jewel Brand Coffee, 20c value.....	1.25
Total for entire order.....	\$3.96

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**The Gazette.**  
**OFFICIAL COUNTY PAPER.**  
WEDNESDAY, MAR. 2, 1910.

Chas. H. Cashin transacted legal business at Ladysmith, Monday.

Miss Grace Wallace is home from Chicago, where she had been visiting.

New spring goods arriving daily at Cunneen's. Call and see the nobby styles.

Men and boys, call on J. Peickert's Sons before buying shoes. A complete line just put in.

E. W. Sellers returned this morning from a business trip to Neillville and other points up north.

Rev. W. J. Rice spent a part of Monday and Tuesday at Poygan, going there to assist the local pastor.

Henry Haertel, the monument man, transacted business at Mosinee and other points up north, last week.

Mrs. Theo. Cychoz, of Wausau, arrived here on Saturday to visit at the home of her parents on the North Side.

Henry Abb, oldest son of Ald. Frank Abb, is now waiting on customers at Cunneen & Co.'s furnishing goods store.

Mrs. Jennie Cadman spent Sunday at the Waupaca Soldiers' Home, going down to visit with her father, Dr. Angell.

For sale cheap and on easy terms, the land on which the Lutz House at McDill formerly stood. Enquire at this office.

F. A. Sustins is again in charge of his machine shop on N. Third street, having recovered from a week's siege of the gripple.

Mrs. Martin Welch, of Stockton, who has been quite seriously ill with liver trouble for the past week, is reported better at present.

John O. Johnson, one of the right hand men for E. J. Pliffner Co. during the past winter, was down from Milladore last Monday.

Heavy work shoes and fancy dress shoes for men and boys at J. Peickert's Sons, N. Third street. The stock is absolutely new and fresh and surprisingly low prices will be made.

When in need of coal call up T. Olsen, phone 54. Consider these prices: Red Hot coal, \$6.50 per ton; Cast Iron coal, 6.25; Hocking Valley, \$5.75; Watson's, \$5; hard coal, all sizes, \$9; Pocahontas, screened, \$7.25.

Clinton Copps, one of the bright young students at Carroll College, Waukesha, and who was especially distinguished in athletics last year, arrived here the last of the week for a short visit at the old home.

Peter Koltz, Sr., who is located near Arnott on one of the best farms in that section, was a business visitor to the city on Monday. Like hundreds of other farmers in Portage and adjoining counties, Mr. Koltz, who has most of last fall's crop of potatoes still in his cellar, is not pleased with the present price in these "good Republican times."

Rev. Geo. A. Schlemmer, of Custer, was a business visitor to the city on Monday.

Latest styles in new spring hats have just arrived at Cunneen & Co.'s, 455 Main street.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Routhman, at their home on Clark street, last Saturday.

Mrs. Helena Bischoff left for Wausau, last evening, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Hugo Petzold.

Miss Nell McKenna, who will trim for Mrs. A. M. Kleiner during the coming season, arrived in the city last Saturday.

Mrs. Victor Prais is spending a couple of weeks at the home of her parents, in the northern part of the town of Hull.

Lyman Copps was here from Waukesha last week, where he is attending Carroll College, to enjoy a few days' visit at home.

Spring shoes are now being unpacked by Ringness, the S. Third street dealer. He guarantees to fit your feet and his prices will please you.

John H. Wallace, who is extensively engaged in the lumber business at Ladysmith, spent a part of last week at his home in this city.

Miss Susie Kelly is recovering from a severe siege of inflammatory rheumatism which has laid her up at her home on Main street for several weeks.

Leo Hein went to Scandinavia, the last of the week, to look after the school duties of his brother, Eugene, who has been ill at the home of his parents in this city.

City Treasurer Boyer will turn his tax roll over to the county treasurer on the 15th, and it will be well to call and settle before that date if you have not already done so.

W. E. Ule spent Sunday at his home in this city, leaving for Nekeosa, Monday morning, where he will build an addition between the machine rooms of the paper mill there.

J. Peickert's Sons have put in a line of shoes for men and boys, which they will sell at remarkably low prices. Call at their store on N. Third street when looking for spring footwear.

Mrs. Hiram Lamphere has between 15,000 and 20,000 rolls of firstclass wall paper, at her store on Division street, South Side, which she wishes to sell at once and will dispose of the entire stock very reasonably.

Anton Kosmiski, while doing some work at the Fashion store, Monday afternoon, met with a painful accident. A board with a sharp steel nail therein fell on his thumb and the nail penetrated from one side to the other of that member, requiring the services of Dr. Rice.

Mrs. T. B. Pray, late of this city, has been quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sheldon, at Madison, for some weeks, and Mr. Pray, who has been in the east most of the time for a year or more, is with her. Miss Florence Pray has been compelled to give up her school work at Kalamazoo, Mich., for the present on account of injuries received in falling on the ice about three months ago, which badly affected her nervous system.

Girl wanted for light housework at 1214 Wisconsin street. Good wages paid.

Buy your timothy, clover, alayke and all other farm seeds at Chas. A. Hamacker's.

All shapes and shades in spring hats are now on display at Cunneen's gent's furnishing store, 455 Main street.

The Elks lodge will meet this Wednesday evening for the election of officers and other important business.

Engineer Jas. Cassidy of the northern division of the Soo, is spending a few days with his brothers and sister in this city.

Miss Lucy Koshnick, who is an attendant at the Northern Hospital, Oshkosh, spent several days at her home here previous to last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. McFarland and little daughter returned from their trip to various points in the south, this morning, after an absence of several weeks.

Miss Cicely Clark, one of the popular young lady clerks at the Moll-Glennon Co. store, has nearly recovered from a three weeks' illness with stomach trouble.

If you admire fine footwear, call on Ringness and see some of the new goods he is receiving for the spring and summer trade. They are nobby and strictly up to date.

Mrs. S. E. Karner left for Tomahawk, Monday morning, where, as heretofore announced, she will open a millinery store, returning frequently to her home in this city.

P. J. Bresnahan, of Plainfield, spent Tuesday and last night in the city. Mr. Bresnahan will return to Stevens Point to reside, expecting to arrive here about the 1st of April.

The morning of March 1st came in rather unfavorably, with flurries of snow following, but this was succeeded by a bright, warm day, and the prognosticators can continue to guess what the balance of the month will bring forth.

Earl P. Kelly has resumed his position as wire chief at the local telephone exchange after an absence of several weeks in Milwaukee and other southern Wisconsin towns, where he did special work for the telephone company.

City Treasurer Boyer has received the sum of \$422.36 from the Wisconsin Telephone Co. as their portion of taxes for the year 1909. This is 55 per cent. of the gross revenue from exchange service on telephone lines leading out from this city.

Chas. E. Wert spent last Saturday in Chicago and on his return home next morning was accompanied by his son, Vernon, who had been employed in that city for several weeks. The young man was laid up with the gripple for a few days but is now nearly well.

Alex Wallace has moved his cigar factory and retail store from the Jacobs building on Strong's avenue to the Tack brick block, just north of Taylor Bros' drug store. A portion of the rear will be fitted up in which to manufacture Mr. Wallace's celebrated hand-made cigars.

The Hodag Oil Co., of this city, will meet in adjourned annual meeting on Tuesday evening, the 15th inst., a majority of stock not being represented at a meeting held last Friday evening. At this time action will probably be taken toward closing a sale of the property.

Sunday was a delightful day, bright and clear, and many Stevens Pointers took advantage of the excellent sleighing to enjoy a cutter ride. Those who ventured out into the country, however, found some of the roads badly drifted, while numerous pitch-holes made driving bad on others.

The next card game between four of our fraternal organizations will be held next Friday evening, when the Woodmen will line up against the Odd Fellows and the Beavers against the Junior Order. The Woodmen defeated the Juniors and the Beavers the Odd Fellows, last Friday evening.

Merrill Guyant, older son of ex-Sheriff Frank Guyant, and who served as a deputy during his father's administration, spent several hours in this city last Monday evening while on his way west to Wenatchee, Wash., where he will manage a ranch and may decide to remain there permanently.

Mrs. Emmons Burr is located for the present at Addy, Wash., and both Mr. Burr and their son, Ben, are with a construction crew who are building an extension of the Great Northern railway between Oroville and Wenatchee, a distance of eight miles, the latter being employed as chief engineer.

Chas. C. Conlisk returned from Milwaukee, last evening, where he has been during the past five weeks. Previous to that Mr. Conlisk spent a few weeks in the south, but the change was not beneficial, and his many friends will be sorry to learn that he is not feeling as strong as when he went away. Mrs. Conlisk is now at San Antonio, Texas.

E. A. Upham will be the new postmaster at Marshfield, succeeding John Cole, and will have as his assistant P. J. Kraus, a gentleman quite well known in this city and a brother of R. L. Kraus, vice president of the First National bank. Mr. Upham could not have acted more wisely in his choice of an assistant, as P. J. is thoroughly competent to fill the important duties.

Mrs. P. D. Schou, representing the Cleveland Press, of Cleveland, Ohio, an independent paper, spent last Saturday in Stevens Point, coming here to interview some of "Gerry" Dahl's former neighbors about what they knew of his past. There is no doubt that the lady went back to the Buckeye state thoroughly convinced that Mr. Dahl has a number of friends up in this "neck of woods."

M. J. Sitzer and little son, of Cass Lake, Minn., arrived in the city the last of the week, for a visit of a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Sitzer. Mr. Sitzer is engaged in the bakery business at Cass Lake, and has been successful. His name was recently connected with the McDonald tragedy at Walker, Minn., he having taken Mrs. McDonald from her home before her husband ended his life.

The many friends at his boyhood home in this city of Wm. F. Schafer of Rhineclander, will be sorry to learn of the death of his son, Roy, a young man of 19 years, who passed away at the family home on Saturday morning, Feb. 19th. Roy was laid up with pneumonia for sixteen days. He was a member of the Modern Woodmen lodge and the Y. M. C. A. at Rhineclander and showed every indication of a promising future.

**NORMAL NOTES.**

A basket ball game with Appleton has been scheduled for the 19th. The game will be played here.

Mr. and Mrs. Rice of Northfield, Minn., and Mrs. Hetzel of Stevens Point were visitors Monday.

Miss Kate McFadden has accepted a position in the intermediate grades at Green Bay. She began her work last Monday.

B. M. Jostad, who is a probation officer working under the direction of the board of control, was a visitor Thursday.

Miss Ella Pratt has been absent from school for the past week with the gripple, and is now at her home in Plainfield.

Pres. Sims conducted an institute at Pittsville, Friday and Saturday. Friday evening he delivered a lecture in the village.

The Pointer, out yesterday, contains full page portraits of Pres. Sims and Regent Nelson, and is easily the best number so far.

A constitution has been drawn up for the Y. M. C. A. and is at present being considered by the future members of the organization.

Amy Bloye and Emma Dysland served as delegates to the annual senior council meeting of the Y. W. C. A., in Milwaukee last Saturday.

On account of the city water being turned off and a consequent lack of heat, there was no school Friday, the rhetorical being postponed until Monday.

Prof. Hyer will conduct an institute at Marshfield, Friday and Saturday. His other dates in March are 11th and 12th at Grand Rapids, 18th and 19th at Kewaunee, 26th at Medford.

Miss Macdonald has been away this week visiting different schools. Monday she inspected the Milwaukee Normal, Tuesday the Whitewater Normal, and will spend the rest of the week visiting the School of Education at the University of Chicago, the Cook county Normal and the Francis Parker school of Chicago.

On Friday evening the members of the various German classes were pleasantly entertained by the members of the Latin classes, who were dressed to represent such Romans as Caesar, Cicero, Brutus, etc. The museum was furnished for the occasion in Roman style, with tables surrounded by couches and with many statues. The different Romans conversed and gladiatorial combats and Roman plays were given. While lunch was served offerings were made to the gods. Everyone had a very enjoyable time and went away thinking that the Romans were very good entertainers.

The following rhetorical program will be carried out Friday:

The Lower Mississippi. Mabel Allen City of New Orleans. Mary Borgen Delta country of lower Mississippi. Matella Borgen Sugar cane growing. Lulu Gebert Life in Arkansas. Crystal Bigelow The vanished city. Alice Gordon

The following musical numbers will be given during the program:

Vocal Duet. Ruth Ross, Merle Young Piano solo. Chloé Spray Vocal solo. Minnie Sustins

The new Normal basket ball team kept up its winning streak when it defeated Stanley High school by a score of 21 to 18. The game was one of the most exciting ever seen on the Normal floor. The Stanley boys were first to score, and thruout the first half and most of the second kept a safe lead. Towards the end of the second half the score had piled up to 16 to 9 in favor of Stanley, and things looked hopeless for S. P. N. But suddenly the team, spurred on by the yells of the crowd, took a sudden spurt, and absolutely ran away from their opponents. Baskets were made from all parts of the floor, Pierce dropping one in from back of center which did not even touch the rim. When time was called, the score was 18 to 18, and it was necessary to play off the tie. The crowd went wild, and the din was so incessant that the referee's whistle could hardly be heard. The teams battled for over 15 minutes, the guarding being so close that neither could score. Finally Pierce made a free throw, making only one point necessary for a victory. Then Burns, running across the floor, made an overhead throw from the other side of center and the ball went into the basket, making the final score 21 to 18 in our favor.

Line-up: McDill f, Birdsall f, Wysocki c, Odine c and g, Burns f and g, Pierce g.

**Neither Dead Nor Sleeping.**

The last issue of the Almond Press contained the following, written by its Bancroft correspondent:

"The people of this place were grieved to hear of the sad death of Forest Bourn and extend their sympathy to the family. Mrs. Bourn will be remembered by friends at Bancroft as Pearl Carley. The report of Forest's death came to us Monday."

Few people have the "pleasure" of reading their own obituary, and Forest is one of them. He is now in the best of health and has always been, except when a kid he got into line with the other kids down at Plover and had a run of measles or a tussle with whooping cough, and is hustling every day as local manager of the Bourn Vehicle & Implement Co. He has positive evidence that he is very much alive. In this instance Forest is certain that one cannot always believe everything he reads.

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**Highs Lose at Merrill.**

The members of the Stevens Point High school basket ball team went to Merrill, last Friday evening, but owing to the fact that trains were delayed on both the Soo and St. Paul railroads, they did not reach their destination until 11:30 o'clock that night. They went up for the purpose of playing the Merrill High school team, and notwithstanding that it was nearly midnight when they arrived at the hall, there was a good crowd waiting and a lively game was put up on both sides. The first half resulted in a score of 10 to 2 in favor of Merrill, and at the end of the second half the score stood 18 to 15 in favor of the lads up north. Our boys are confident that the result would have been different had not the ceiling been so low, there being a space of only about four feet above the baskets, and it was very difficult to lodge a ball in the right place. Merrill is a good place to visit and the Stevens Point young men were treated in a most courteous and hospitable manner.

**Card of Thanks.**

We wish to tender our heartfelt thanks to the many kind friends, both in this city and elsewhere, who during the long illness of our dear wife and sister did so much for her comfort and happiness, as well as to all who did not forget those who were left after her departure.

Fred G. Minnebeck.  
Miss Julia Minnebeck.

**Taken to Waupun.**

Wm. Berhans, Andy Garland and Dave Rousseau, three hold-up men, who robbed Henry Neitzke last Wednesday evening and were sentenced by Judge A. H. Reid to four years in the state penitentiary at Waupun, at a special term of the circuit court held in this city Friday afternoon, were taken to Waupun last evening in custody of Sheriff Maas and Chief of Police Thos. Calder.—Merrill Herald.

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE ON EXECUTION. State of Wisconsin—In Circuit Court for Portage County.

Alexander Kromb, Plaintiff, vs. John H. Springer, Defendant.

By virtue of and pursuant to an execution issued out of and under the seal of the circuit court in and for the county of Portage and state of Wisconsin upon a judgment rendered in said court on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1900, and duly docketed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court for Portage county on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1900, which execution was directed and delivered to me as sheriff in and for said county of Portage, I have levied upon all the right, title and interest of the above named defendant, John H. Springer, in and to the following described real estate in Portage county, Wisconsin, to-wit:

Lot No. Three (3) of Section No. Two (2), Township Twenty-one (21) North, Range Eight (8) East, and

The southeast quarter of the southwest quarter, the east one-half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter, and the west one-half of the west one-half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter, all of Section No. Ten (10) in Township No. Twenty-one (21) North, Range Eight (8) East.

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, as sheriff as aforesaid, will offer for sale and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at right, title and interest of John H. Springer, in and to the above described premises, at the west front door of the court house in the city of Stevens Point, county of Portage and state of Wisconsin, on Saturday, the 12th day of March, A. D. 1901, at 1 o'clock p. m., of that day, to satisfy said execution together with interest and costs thereon.

Dated at Stevens Point, Wisconsin, the 29th day of January, A. D. 1901.

JOHN A. BERRY, Sheriff of Portage County, Wis. McFarland & Murel, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

[First pub. Feb. 9—ins. 7]

NOTICE OF SALE ON EXECUTION. In Circuit Court—Portage county, Wisconsin. E. M. Rice and R. H. Rice, plaintiffs, vs. Fickler H. Mame and Rose A. Mame, defendants.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a judgment of said court and sale in the above entitled action, made and rendered on the second day of February, A. D. 1900, and entered of record on the said second day of February, A. D. 1900, I shall on Saturday, the twenty-sixth day of March, A. D. 1901, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the west front door of the court house in the city of Stevens Point, Portage county, Wisconsin, offer for sale and sell at public auction and vendue to the highest and best bidder therefor the following described real estate, to-wit: Situated, lying and being in the city of Stevens Point, Portage county, Wisconsin, and owned as lot number one hundred seventy-seven (177) in block number forty-one (41) in Strong, Elm and other plat of the city of Stevens Point, together with all improvements thereon.

Said premises to be offered and sold in one parcel. Terms of sale, cash on delivery of the deed.

Dated this 30th day of February, 1901.

JOHN A. BERRY, Sheriff of Portage County, Wis. D. L. Siskelsteel, attorney for plaintiff.

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SUMMONS. In Circuit Court, Portage County, Wisconsin. Mrs. L. J. Lampe, Plaintiff, vs. John H. Springer, Defendant.

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# ELAINE'S CHOICE.

I was Elaine du Rucker's guardian. At the age of eight she had lost both her parents. Her health was delicate, and I thought the best thing to do for her was to put her in a convent school in the country. One morning, however, I received the following astonishing letter:

My Dear Guardian—I am bored. After mature reflection I find that I am not cut out for a religious career. Kindly find me a husband as soon as possible. Your grateful and devoted ELAINE.

It does not seem hard to find a candidate for the hand of a young and charming heiress.

I presented quite a number of men to her—nice fellows, too—but none suited her.

Things were at this point when my old friend, the curate of Redon, spoke to me of the Marquise de Pen-Valloet and her two sons—old family, distinguished name, good connections, respectable fortune. I proposed to Elaine to spend a few weeks with my wife at Trouville. She joyfully accepted.

"On the way," said I, "we will stop at one of my clients, the Marquise de Pen-Valloet."

The marquise resided on a large estate some miles from Redon. I had been told of her strictly economical way of living, so I was not surprised to find awaiting us at the station an old rattletrap of a carriage, which smelled so musty that as we started to get in Elaine recoiled.

"Suppose we ride outside,"

"Don't be afraid, sir," said the coachman, offering me his strong hand and helping me to mount quite easily.

Elaine seemed no more than a feather in his strong grasp.

"You will be afraid," said I, measuring the distance from our perch to the ground.

"Afraid! You don't know me. You will cry quarter before I do. Now, driver, quick, quick, quick!"

The man smiled rather sarcastically. I thought.

He gathered up his reins and started his team. Heavens, what a race! My blood curdled at the thought of it. Elaine clasped her hands and incited the pleased coachman to redoubled efforts.

A handsome, refined looking young man of medium height met us and assisted us to alight.

The Marquise de Pen-Valloet received us in the large, gloomy drawing room. She greeted us graciously and herself led us to our apartments.

"My son Rene," she said, designating the handsome young man who had first received us.

Dinner was ready. When Elaine reappeared she looked queenly beautiful.

Just then another guest entered—a man of about thirty, tall and with a strong face. Saluting us, he took the empty space opposite the Marquise de Pen-Valloet.

"My oldest son, Marquis Horace de Pen-Valloet," she said, presenting him, adding, "Late, as usual."

"You know why, mother," he answered coldly.

"Well?" said I when we were alone. She stifled a yawn.

"Let us go to bed. I am tired to death."

"Not until you have told me your impression of the two candidates."

"The younger is handsome. He has a pretty voice and dresses well. That is all I know so far."

"And the other?"

"The other? Why, he hasn't a soul! He doesn't count as a match, guardie, dear."

"True. I always thought you were a sensible girl."

Next morning it was late when I awoke.

I had hardly finished my toilet before Elaine, fresh and bright as the morning, knocked for admittance.

"What! Up already?"

"Already? Why, I have had a long walk through the dewy woods. It was exquisite."

"Alone?"

"Oh, no! I made sure of an escort last night."

"Ah, ah! So things are working?"

"Splendidly, my dear guardian. Open your ears. I have decided to marry!"

"Handsome Rene?" said I, rubbing my hands.

"No. I am going to marry the coachman who drove so well yesterday. As soon as I placed my hands in his I knew he was a man a woman could trust. But here he is to tell you that you are not dreaming."

She opened the door, and Horace de Pen-Valloet entered.

"Myself," he said, smiling at my astonished look. "My story is not long, but it is very interesting. I wanted to be a coachman. My mother objected. I adopted the profession of advertising agent, and I have been successful."

I laughed, and he laughed with me. "I have been successful," he said, "and I have a large number of clients. I have been successful in my profession, and I have a large number of clients. I have been successful in my profession, and I have a large number of clients."

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Carrots may be fed to horses and sheep, sugar beets and turnips to dry cattle and lambs, and dairy cattle and hogs relish them all. To withhold succulence, nature's great provision for thrift and health, is to lessen profits.

Carrots are slightly harder to grow than beets, but they are the best feed. Sow the seeds in rows about two and one-half feet apart. The rows should be ridged slightly, as this facilitates their culture. It is better, perhaps, to sow rather thickly, so as to insure a good stand. When the young plants are a few inches high harrow the ground with a light harrow for weed destruction and for thinning purposes. It will require only a hasty going over to put the carrot patch in shape to destroy weeds and leave the plants six to eight inches apart. A horse cultivator will complete the work. The large stock varieties are, of course, to be preferred to the fine grain—the garden kind.

Turnips are cultivated in the same way, but they come later in the season. The Swede variety should be selected. Turnips may be sown broadcast, but for large yields the row method is preferred. Mangels are grown with the least difficulty, but they are not so good as carrots or turnips. For sheep roots are almost indispensable.

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BELMONT

Mrs. Frank Hurd is slowly recovering from her recent illness. Miss Alice Stinson closed her school in the Lee district last Friday. Chester Taylor recently purchased a new piano for his daughter Ferna. John Casey contemplates building an addition to his house the coming spring. Joe Bucknell and family of Farmington attended the L. A. S. sale last Tuesday. A very large crowd attended the L. A. S. sale at the Blaine hall on Tuesday last. Miss Libbie Leahy of Lanark spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Clarence Collier. Miss Alice Bucknell of Farmington spent the first few days of last week with her niece, Mrs. Clayton Smith. Mrs. Alvin Krake and daughter, Lila, of Fond du Lac, are visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pray.

MECHAN.

Undersheriff Sutherland was here from Stevens Point last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Puarie, from out east of Plover, visited at the home of R. W. Parks Sunday. Stan Jagowski of Grand Rapids has been sawing wood around here lately. He has a good rig and is getting plenty of work. Mrs. Carrie Wood and Mrs. Agnes Edwards of Valley Junction are here visiting at the home of their sister, Mrs. Wm. Clusman. Most of our boys have returned from the logging woods. They report the snow very deep up north and with warm weather coming on makes the going disagreeable. Frank Pike, who recently had the misfortune to burn out while occupying the Cradle house, has again settled to housekeeping with his family in part of Wm. Clusman's house. Geo. B. and Frank H. Fox and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fields came up from Plainfield to attend a surprise party on their brother, B. S. Fox, Feb. 22nd, it being his 53rd birthday anniversary. Harold, the three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Warner, fell out of a chair one day last week and broke his shoulder. He was taken to Dr. Rogers at Stevens Point who set the bone and at present he is getting along nicely.

DANCY.

Miss Ella Marchel was at Junction City a day last week. Miss Gladys Altenburg visited friends in Wausau a few days recently. Mrs. Henry Kronenwetter of Kronenwetter was a caller in this village the past week. Mrs. Antonio Leitz of Eau Claire visited her daughter Mary at Stevens Point recently. Henry Teiting, who owns a farm near this village, spent a few days the past week at Elkhorn, Wis., and while there traded his property here for a farm near Elkhorn. Improved land in that locality sells for \$125 per acre. Within the past few days the switch yards at this place that were filled with loaded cars before the holidays, were emptied. Switch trains have been here all hours of the night lately getting their work that was so badly congested straightened out. The many friends of Rev. Gerhard Vadder in this locality, will be very sorry to learn of his death, which occurred in Chicago last Thursday. Father Vadder was pastor of St. Francis Catholic church at Knowlton for some years, until failing health necessitated his giving up work that would take him out on missions. His friends were numbered only by his acquaintances among those not of his faith as well as his own parishioners. Always kind and generous to his people, all will sincerely regret his early demise and hope that he is enjoying the fullest reward in that world beyond that his labors while on this earth merited.

MILLADORE.

Anna Brandt went to Marshfield Monday. Joe Sherack departed for Milwaukee Thursday. William Wilke was a Grand Rapids visitor last Thursday. Justice Lusk of Auburndale was a business caller Monday. Miss Mary Cherney was a Marshfield shopper last Wednesday. Walter Zell and Zita Snyder of Auburndale drove down Sunday. William Harvey and family moved back to Stuckville last Saturday. Dr. P. J. Cress was a professional caller at Junction City last Thursday. John and George Herdina were Stevens Point callers last week Wednesday. Matt Forrest and Mrs. Gustav Bulgren were Grand Rapids visitors Thursday. Miss Sylvia Hill, our local school principal, did shopping in Stevens Point Saturday. Mrs. E. Krubsack, who has been quite sick with the grippe, is gradually improving. S. O. Spring of Peoria, Ill., is up for a few days looking after his interests at Pine Knoll. Messrs. James Herdina, Oscar and Louis Krubsack were Stevens Point callers Monday. Miss Zita Snyder of Auburndale spent Friday and Saturday as the guest of Cordelia Richardson. Charley Kocian returned home Thursday from Pelican, Wis., where he had been working in the woods. Geo. H. Drewry, state school inspector, visited our local school Friday and reports the same in fine condition. Miss Helen Empey, who is attending school at Mosinee, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Empey. Forest Dille and wife returned home to Fond du Lac Monday, after spending a few days with relatives and friends. Miss Louise Hooper was a Marshfield caller last Tuesday, where she attended the initiation ceremonies of the Eastern Star lodge. Jim Garrit was a Stevens Point caller Friday. He went down to get a new piston head for his engine, which he broke a few days ago. Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Prausa, Sr., returned home last week Tuesday after spending six weeks with friends and relatives at Oconto and vicinity. John Becker has seven or eight teams hauling stone from the Malik

quarry for a basement barn he will build this coming summer or next. Maggie Prausa departed for St. Paul, Monday morning, but will stop off at Withee for a few days with Mrs. John Shimeek, formerly Miss Anna Malik. Joe Mancel, son of Anton Mancel, Sr., departed for Leona, Wis., last week Tuesday, where he has accepted a position in the saw mill of R. Connor Co. John Kressel, who is employed as a locomotive engineer on the Pacific extension of the C. M. & St. P. Ry., is visiting with his mother, Mrs. Matt Kressel. William Wilke shipped out two cars of potatoes last week. One car went to Brazil, Ind., and one to St. Louis, Mo. William Brey accompanied the cars as far as Chicago. Chas. E. Smith and mother went to Stevens Point last Thursday to call on Mrs. Ed. Smith, whose youngest daughter, Fairbell, is very sick with inflammatory rheumatism and heart trouble. Mr. Smith also spent the first of this week at the Point. Edward Mancel, son of Jas. Mancel, who left home five years ago for the west, returned Saturday. In 1907 he enlisted as a musician in the U. S. army in the state of Washington and served one year in the above state, when he was transferred to the Philippine Islands, where he remained until his enlistment expired the first of February. Tom Roidt had a very exciting run-away last Friday. He had just driven up to the creamery and left his horse, which was hitched to a cutter, standing outside. When he came out of the creamery he found the horse was gone. She started for home, and as she went through town different ones tried to stop her, but she would turn out into the ditch and continue on her way. When within a half mile of home the animal was caught by Frank Malik. There was no damage done to speak of. The young ladies of the Methodist church gave a "medley social" at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Empey, Friday night. The receipts of \$8.00 were turned in toward getting a new carpet for the church. They charged 10 cents for a lap supper, 5 cents to have your fortune told, and 3 cents admission to the art gallery. The balance of the evening was spent in playing games and listening to selections on the piano by the Misses Mable Verulust, Helen Empey, Laura Welk, Lenora Jellison and Martha and Clara Petersen. Miss Sylvia Hill also entertained them with a few selections on the violin, being accompanied by Miss Richards on the piano. All appeared to enjoy themselves and departed for home at the wee small hour of 2 o'clock.

PLOVER.

Mrs. J. D. Lindores spent Monday at Plainfield. Mrs. W. Barnsdale spent Monday at Bancroft. Mrs. Wm. Yorton has returned from Rib Lake. H. N. Warner spent Saturday and Sunday at Medford on business. Robert Elcock of Knowlton is spending a few days at W. Barnsdale's. Mrs. Wm. Hawley of Waupaca is visiting her aunt, Mrs. L. C. Beach. Mrs. Alex Tunks is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Art Matthews at Plainfield. Mrs. J. Myhill was called to Weyauwega by the serious illness of her mother. The children of R. Risser have been quite ill with chicken pox. At present they are improving. Mrs. Robt. Herman spent one day last week at Amherst, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Asa Wilson. Mrs. F. Halladay spent a couple of days last week with Mrs. W. S. Halladay at the Waupaca Veterans' Home.

MILL CREEK.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren have returned from their trip to Berlin. Mrs. Frank Pleet of Chicago visited her mother, Mrs. Okray, several days last week. Matt Matthews lost a fine horse while working in the woods for Mr. Fogarty. John is frequently seen in his sparkling clothes. Girls look out for John after Easter. Easter is coming early this year. We see the rabbit busy hauling eggs to town. This country has lots of good chickens. Mrs. Paul Latus spent a few hours last Sunday with her two daughters, who are engaged along the educational line here. Earney is quite a hustling young man. One thing he can do that all boys cannot, is to keep a clean and neat house while his aunt and uncle are away. Since Jan. 30, Dist. No. 4 has had a good attendance. To the present time eight scholars never missed a day, 6 missed one day and four missed two days. The record has never been so good before. We understand that Jim Nobles is buying up a car load of cattle to be shipped to the cheese country. We hope that when he returns he will bring some limburger. [Arrived too late for last week.] Miss Agnes Sweeney visited her friends at Amherst and Stockton. Miss Rose Mohan was a pleasant caller last Friday at W. Warren's. Jas. Tovey drove to Stockton the early part of the week on a business trip. The Misses Ella and Celia Latus spent Saturday and Sunday at Grand Rapids. Ernie Warren took a drive to the Eau Claire country one day last week with a lady friend. Mrs. P. N. Jacobs of Arnott visited the latter part of the past week with her sister, Mrs. Jas. Tovey. One of the young men of this neighborhood goes visiting with a canary in his pocket. We all know that the bird is a great warbler. Fred Olds states that the climate in Milwaukee agrees with him first rate, and he would like to see some of his friends visit there the coming spring.

AMHERST.

Oliver Iverson started for California last Saturday. Miss Libbie Timian returned to Grand Rapids last Saturday. Samuel Wilmot, the oldest resident in town, is in a feeble condition. John S. Loberg of Nelsonville transacted business here last Saturday. F. O. Adams is visiting his brother, Chas. Adams at Whitehall, Wis. Mrs. Guy Jordan and Miss Laurena

Johnson are visiting at Auroraville this week. Miss Mae Haertel spent Sunday with her parents, returning to Appleton on Monday. Ruben Thompson, one of the oldest settlers of this town, is laid up with the grippe. The Blaine W. R. C. visited the Amherst ladies Thursday. Dinner and supper were served in the hall. Chas. A. Pratt of Bancroft was in town a few days last week distributing catalogues for a Chicago concern. Mrs. E. Starks went to Milwaukee last Thursday to select her spring and summer stock of millinery goods. C. E. Haertel returned from his eastern trip last Thursday morning. He saw some of the rioting in Philadelphia. Mr. and Mrs. Marion Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Fleming and Miss Anna McGee visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blair, in Lanark, last Sunday. Miss Harriette B. Moberg, former editor of the Amherst Advocate, had the misfortune to fall on the ice near her home, last Saturday afternoon, breaking the front bone of her right leg about six inches above the ankle. Dr. G. E. Dusenbury was called and Miss Moberg is getting along as well as possible. Her hosts of friends hope to see her about soon.

JUNCTION CITY.

Mrs. Wm. Arians spent last Monday at Merrill. Miss Anna Tomaszewska went to Stevens Point last Saturday. F. E. Culver and E. A. Culver spent last Monday at Stevens Point. Dr. Leith, who has been on the sick list for a few days, is on the gain. G. A. Sutherland of Stevens Point was in town this week on business. Mrs. Fred E. Culver spent last Thursday at Stevens Point visiting friends. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stertz drove to Stevens Point last Sunday to spend the day with friends. Mrs. Heitsinger's daughter, who has been seriously ill for three or four weeks, is on the road to recovery. Mrs. Laura Sebora returned home last Tuesday morning from Athens, where she had been visiting relatives. Miss Phillapa Hobbs returned home last Saturday evening from Oakfield where she had been visiting for some time. Work has begun hauling sand and rock for the erection of the new bank building to be built as soon as the weather permits. E. A. Culver of Oakfield, who had been visiting his son, Fred, and daughter, Mrs. C. D. Percy, for a week, left for home last Tuesday. A sleighload of young people from this town took advantage of the good sleighing last Sunday and spent the day with Miss Ella Marchel at Dancy. Arthur Tic of Milladore, who had been working in a barber shop at Mosinee, has returned to Junction City and taken up his old trade at the Voyer Hotel. C. D. Percy, who was at work sawing logs at the mill on his place two miles west of Junction City, had the misfortune to have the ankle of the right foot dislocated and also to fracture one of the bones of the ankle.

RUDOLPH.

Elmer Brys of Minneapolis is visiting his parents here. There will be an auction at the E. Haumschied farm March 9th. Will Clark has resigned his position as buttermaker at Cloverdale creamery. E. Roberts has sold his farm and



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expects to move to Grand Rapids soon. A. H. Koch has purchased A. I. Chambers' interest in the creamery and intends to operate a cheese factory in connection. John McGathie is soon to move his family here from Grand Rapids and commence improvements on the farm which he purchased last fall. Emil Haumschied has rented the Jos. Granshaw hotel and will move his family here soon. Mr. and Mrs. Granshaw are contemplating a trip to Canada.

KNOWLTON.

Miss Regina Ellingson, our village teacher, enjoyed Saturday at Wausau. A daughter arrived Sunday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alois Stark. Banker von Berg of Mosinee transacted business about our village Tuesday. Miss Isabel Guenther left Sunday noon for Crandon, where she will remain some time. Day and night railroad crews are stationed at Knowlton. The log trains are bringing loads out from Madris all hours. Samuel Wadleigh, the popular teacher at Ashley, spent Saturday and Sunday with his sisters at Wausau. H. Cole, W. C. Landon and Walter Gorman of Wausau arrived at Knowlton Monday noon and drove to Madris, the leather company's village, a distance of ten miles. W. Guenther took them out with his fine driving team. Mr. and Mrs. W. LaCerte came down from Wausau Monday and were guests at R. C. Guenther's home. Mr. LaCerte took several photographs of the business concerns about here, among them the Johnson Creek Lumber Co.'s plant and yards a few miles out of town. Alex Merklein, whose home is at Wausau and who had been employed as clerk during the winter at the Guenther store, resigned his position Monday and left for Auburndale, where he has accepted a similar position. Mr. Merklein proved a very efficient salesman and will be greatly missed by the patrons of this popular store.

Did you get a set of Gazette maps?

Judge S. H. Alban, who a quarter of a century ago was a respected resident of Stevens Point, is the present postmaster at Rhinelander and a candidate for reappointment. He, however, Mr. not the backing of Congressman Morse, who recommends a LaFollette man, while Postmaster Alban is a Stalwart of Stalwarts. The same trouble exists in Congressman Morse's home town, Antigo, where Ed. Cleary, a Stalwart, is postmaster, and is opposed by the congressional representative for reappointment. President Taft may act in these cases the same as he did with Newt. Ingersoll, of Brainerd, Minn., take the bull by the horns, ignore the congressman, and reappointing the grounds of past faithful and efficient services.

High School Notes.

For rhetoricals Thursday, Harold Playman gave a talk on the making of a deep waterway system. His talk was very interesting and was listened to with good attention. The manual training department has developed greatly during the past year. That the board of education made no mistake in putting it in the school is shown by the numerous articles of furniture put out in the shop and by the interest of all students of the school. Merrill is certainly a hoodoo town for Stevens Point. However, it wasn't the boys' fault for not winning. It was on account of the lateness of the day and the lowness of the gym ceiling that we lost. Just let Merrill meet us on a neutral floor, where chances are equal and we'll do them up to a turn. The Junior girls beat the Sophomore girls in a rough game of basket ball, last Thursday. It is always claimed that foot ball is the roughest recreation, but the condition of the Sophomore girls, who on account of the scratches on their arms and faces looked as though they were veterans of the civil war, tends to show that there are worse sports than foot ball. After a long and stormy session, the Emerson Literary Society elected the following officers: President, George Dumas; vice president, Helen Stemen; secretary, Cora Johnson; treasurer,

Russell Moen; sergeant, Clarence Coyer. Our society now numbers 120, so if quantity counts anything, we certainly ought to do something. At each meeting we always have ten or fifteen minutes of parliamentary practice. This is a good way of making the members acquainted with the procedure of legislative bodies. At the next meeting a bill will be introduced to make the railroad companies carry passengers for one and one-half cents a mile.

[Not pub. Mar. 2—Ins. 3.]  
**COUNTY COURT NOTICE**—State of Wisconsin, Portage county.—In county court, in the matter of the will of Lamira Hawn, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Stevens Point, in said county, on the first Tuesday (being the 5th day) of April, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as such matter can be reached, the following matter will be heard and considered: The application of J. R. Congdon to admit to probate the last will and testament of Lamira Hawn, late of the city of Stevens Point, in said county, deceased, and for letters testamentary thereon to be issued to J. R. Congdon.  
Dated this 1st day of March, A. D. 1910.  
By order of the Court,  
JOHN A. MURAT, County Judge.  
Byron B. Park, Attorney for the Petitioner.

[Not pub. Mar. 2—Ins. 4.]  
**ORDER FOR ADJUSTMENT OF CLAIMS** and Notice to Creditors.—In Probate Court, Portage County, Wis., in the matter of the will of Mary Jane Olsen, deceased.  
Letters testamentary on the will of Mary Jane Olsen, deceased, having been issued to R. B. Johnson.  
It is Ordered, that the time until and including the first Tuesday of September, A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be and is hereby allowed and limited for the creditors of said Mary Jane Olsen, deceased, to present their claims for examination and allowance. It is Further Ordered, that all claims and demands against the said Mary Jane Olsen, deceased, be received, examined and adjusted by this court at the county court room, court house, in the city of Stevens Point, in said county, at the regular term thereof to be held on the first Tuesday of September, 1910.  
It is Further Ordered, that notice of the time and place at which said claims and demands will be received, examined and adjusted as aforesaid, and of the time hereby limited for creditors to present their claims, be given by publication of this order and notice for four consecutive weeks, once in each week, in The Gazette, a weekly newspaper published in the city of Stevens Point, in said county, the first publication to be within fifteen days from the date hereof.  
Dated this 1st day of March, A. D. 1910.  
By the Court,  
JOHN A. MURAT, County Judge.  
D. I. Stickelsteel, Atty. for the Executor.

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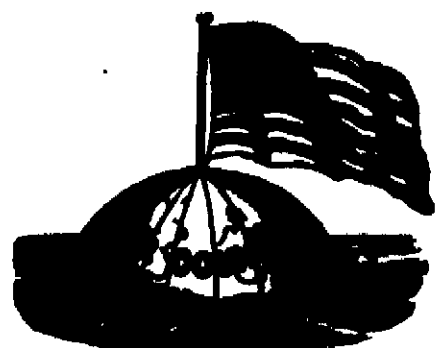
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SYNOPSIS.  
The story opens with the introduction of John Stephens, adventurer, a Massachusetts man marooned by authorities at Valparaiso, Chile. Being interested in mining operations in Bolivia, he was denounced by Chile as an insurrectionist and as a consequence was hiding. At his hotel his attention was attracted by an Englishman and a young woman. Stephens rescued the young woman from a drunken officer. He was thanked by her. Admiral of the Peruvian navy confronted Stephens, told him that war had been declared between Chile and Peru and offered him the office of captain. He desired that that night the Esmeralda, a Chilean vessel, should be captured. Stephens accepted the commission. Stephens met a motley crew, to which he was assigned. He gave them final instructions. They boarded the vessel. They successfully captured the vessel supposed to be the Esmeralda, through strategy. Capt. Stephens gave directions for the departure of the craft.

CHAPTER VII.

In Which I Suspect Evil.

Early dawn reached us in sudden gray, the sun a shapeless blob of dull red, with no vestige of its golden light forcing passage through those dense clouds of misty vapor closing us in as between curtained walls. The swell of the sea was not heavy, but the pervading gloom gave to the surrounding water a peculiarly sullen appearance, through which we tore, reckless of accident, at full speed. A new hand was at the wheel, Johnson having gone below an hour since, but I still clung to the bridge, my eyes heavy from peering forth into the fog-bank, my clothing sodden with the constant drip.

Only a few of the men were visible, three or four grouped about the capstan on the forecastle head, and as many more gathered along the lee side of the charthouse. Evidently regular watches were already chosen, and a portion of the crew had been turned in for their trick below. Tuttle himself, clad in wet, glistening oil-skins and looking gaunt and cadaverous, his chin-beard forking straight out over the high collar, was standing aft, beside the fellow who still kept guard over the companion. I moved across to the starboard end of the bridge, and, when he glanced around, made signal for him to join me.

"Not very much chance of any one overhauling us in this fog, Mr. Tuttle," I said, pleasantly. "It would be like hunting a needle in a haystack."

"Tis as the Lord wills," he returned, rather sourly. "Man proposes, but God disposes. The sun will lift that whole outfit in another hour. How far do you figure we're off shore?"

"Figure it for yourself. We're doing all of 16 knots, and have been for four hours at that speed. With another to be added, even our smoke ought to be below the horizon. We've given them the slip all right, and from now on it's merely a question of steaming to keep ahead. I don't recall anything in the Chilean navy that can overhaul us. What discoveries have you made below?"

"He turned his crafty, glittering eyes toward me, twisting the lump of tobacco under his tongue. In some way, beneath the revealing daylight, I became even more distrustful of the man, more conscious of his hypocrisy."

"Not a great deal," his mouth attempting a grin; "except that we've got the crew caged. Everybody was ashore but the harbor watch."

"Then you found the 'forecastle empty'?"

"Nothin' there but dunnage and bilge water; regular sea-parlor, sir."

"And no officer on board?" I asked, scarcely believing it possible.

"None, barring the engineer, so far as I know. The cabin was locked up by your orders, so I let that alone."

"And that, then, is all you have discovered, is it, Mr. Tuttle?"

He shifted his long legs, but made no effort to turn and face me.

"Well, I guess that's about the whole of it," he answered, slowly, as though deliberating over the choice of words. "Only I'm a bit puzzled about some things that don't look just right. We started out, as I understand it, to run off with a Chilean warship named the Esmeralda, a schooner-rigged steam yacht. That was the contract, wasn't it, sir?"

I nodded, gravely, wondering what the man could possibly be driving at. "That was my understanding," his nasal tone becoming more pronounced and disagreeable. "And somehow what we've got here looks just a bit odd. This here is a schooner-rigged steam-yacht all right, an' I guess the tonnage isn't very far out of the Esmeralda class, but we haven't found a blame Chilean on board—two Swedes, a Dutchman, two Kanakas, an' a bloomin' English engineer."

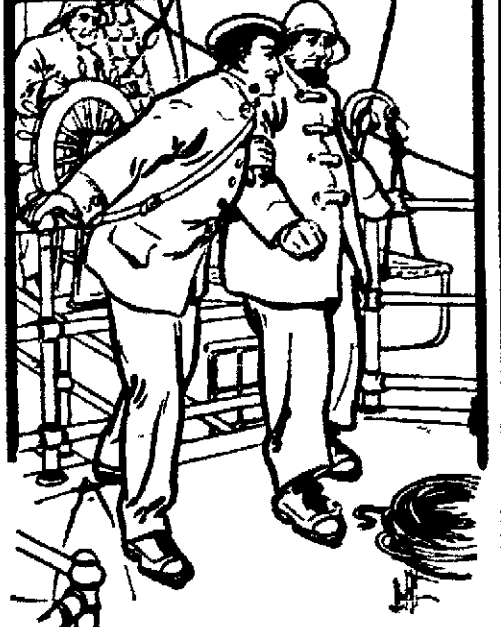
"Well, what of that?" I broke in impatiently. "You know as well as I do that the entire Chilean navy is filled with foreigners."

"Sure," he coincided, with a swift, questioning glance toward me; "that's all true enough, sir, but I never saw a whole crew of those beggars an' no Chilean bossin' 'em. But then that's only a part of it. Every one of them small boats down there, an' the life-preservers hangin' in front of the cabin, have got the name Sea Queen painted on them. Dam' if it ain't, here, too, on this tarpaulin."

I bent over the rail looking down at the lettering he pointed out, yet with no feeling of uneasiness.

"Beyond doubt, that was the yacht's name before the Chilean government purchased her and renamed her Esmeralda for their service. She was bought from English parties, I've heard. Probably the new owners have found no opportunity to repaint the name."

Tuttle drew forth a red bandanna and blew his nose, his voice more sul-



"See Here, Mr. Tuttle, Kindly Explain What You Are Driving At."

lenly insolent as he resumed speech.

"Glad ye take it so cool, an' maybe yer right. However, it looks dam' odd to me."

I glanced aside at the wheelman apprehensively. The fellow was gazing straight ahead of him into the rapidly thinning fog. It was the manner of the mate more than his words that impressed me.

"See here, Mr. Tuttle," and I dropped my hand rather heavily on his sleeve, "kindly explain exactly what you are driving at. Do you intend to insinuate that we have made a mistake in the dark, and run off with the wrong vessel? Why, man, that is impossible. We are sailors, not landlubbers. Both of us have had chances to see the Esmeralda, and you certainly knew where she was moored yesterday."

"Well, when I come to think it over, I don't feel quite so everlastingly sure about that. The mind o' man is mighty deceitful," he admitted, slowly. "You see, I never saw her any closer than maybe a mile, an' even then she was half hid behind other shippin'. Of course I took notice of her outline an' rig, but I didn't pay much attention to details. To-night we was all of us excited, an' colors don't show up much in the dark! Now, her funnel is painted red, an' unless I'm a liar the Esmeralda's was black with a yaller stripe round the top. You see, Mr. Stephens, we kept in pretty close under cover all yesterday, an' maybe they hauled the Esmeralda up to the government docks, and run another boat into her anchorage."

I laughed aloud, not in the least impressed with his argument.

"A very likely story that there were two vessels in that harbor so near alike as to deceive all of us."

He remained stubbornly silent, evidently unconvinced, plucking at his chin-beard.

"There is a certain way of settling the matter," I went on, decisively. "That is, by an examination of the papers in the cabin. Take charge of the bridge, and I'll run down and clear up this affair beyond any further controversy. We may even have one of the ship's officers stowed away there, sleeping off his late celebration. If there is, he's due for a rude awakening. Keep the yacht's head as she is, and I'll be back directly."

I was aware that he watched me closely as I descended the steps, but felt little interest in such surveillance. That we could have been guilty of so serious an error as he suggested was beyond possibility. Nevertheless the more suspicion was irritating, leaving me filled with a vague unrest. It was

quite true that I might have been deceived. I realized that, because I had enjoyed no opportunity to observe the Esmeralda in daylight, and no occasion to study her lines with care at any time. To me she had appeared merely as an extremely graceful vessel, interesting to the eye of a seaman. But Tuttle and his crew must have known the truth. If we were, indeed, on board the wrong vessel, it was from no innocent mistake of the darkness, but rather the result of deliberate plan, the full purpose of which was beyond my comprehension. I swore savagely under my breath, even as I laughed sarcastically at the vague suspicion, aroused largely, as I well realized, by my increasing dislike of the ex-whaleman. The wrong ship? Why, the very conception of such an accident was grotesque, ridiculous, beyond belief! It was the hallucination of a fool. One of the men assisted me to unbar the slide across the companionway, and, bidding him stand by ready for a hail, I started below, my fingers on the brass rail, my feet firm on the rubber-lined stairs.

These led into as handsome a sea-parlor as ever I remember gazing upon. Everything was effective and in elaborate taste, evidencing an expenditure that made me stare about in amazement. So deeply did it impress me that I remained there grasping the rail, gazing about in surprise, hesitating to press my investigations further. Yet this feeling was but momentary, the very desertion and silence quickly convincing me that the cabin contained no occupants. The movement of the vessel, the tramping of men on the deck, and the ceaseless noise of the screw were more noticeable here than forward, and no seaman, however overloaded with liquor he might have been the night before, could have slept undisturbed through the hubbub and changes of the past few hours.

Inspired to activity by this knowledge, and eager to settle the identity of our prize, I began closer examination of that impressive interior, although not entirely relieved from the spell of its royal magnificence. Six doors, three upon each side, opened off from the main cabin. The full length mirrors occupied the spaces between, and the doors themselves were marvels of decoration and carving. Another, beneath the stairs, led directly into the steward's pantry, and revealed, besides, a passageway leading forward, probably to the lazarette amidships. The others, as I tried their brass knobs, exhibited merely comfortable staterooms, fitted up for officers' use; three contained two bunks each, the others only one. Four of the beds had been carefully made, but the remainder were in disorder, as though quite lately occupied. Everything impressed me as unusually clean and neat, evincing strict discipline. The only desk I noticed was a roll-top affair, securely locked, and with no litter of papers lying anywhere about. This, I figured, was probably the berth of the first officer; the captain's room would naturally be the one farthest astern.

The upright piano, with the high-backed cushioned chairs surrounding it, blocked my view aft, but on rounding these I observed a closed door, which apparently led into a room extending the entire width of the cabin. Never suspecting that it might be occupied, I grasped the brass knob, and stepped within. Instantly I came to a full stop, dazed by astonishment, my teeth clenched in quick effort at self-control. The entire scene burst in upon my consciousness with that first surprised survey—the draped portholes opening out upon the gray fog-bank, the brass bed screwed to the deck, the chairs upholstered in green plush, the polished table with a vase of flowers topping it, the glistening front of a book-case in the corner, the tiger rug into which my feet sank. All these things I perceived, scarcely realizing that I did so, for my one true impression concentrated itself upon the living occupants.

There were two present. At a low dressing table, her back toward me, fronting a mirror, yet with eyes fastened upon an open book lying in her lap, sat a woman. The lowered head yielded me only an indistinct outline of her features, yet the full throat and rounded cheek gave pledge of both youth and beauty. Standing almost directly behind her chair, with short, curly locks, crowned by a smart white cap, her hands busied amid her mistress's tresses, was a maid, petite, roguish, fluttering about like a hummingbird. The latter saw me at once, pausing in her work with eyes wide open in surprise, but the preoccupied mistress did not even glance up. She must have heard the sound of the door, however, for she spoke carelessly:

"I thought you were never coming. What caused you to sail so suddenly?" These unexpected words, uttered so naturally, served partially to arouse me from the dull torpor of surprise. I clenched my hands, wondering if I was really awake, and stared back into the frightened eyes of the maid, who appeared equally incapable of articulation. Suddenly she found voice.

"It is not ze one, madame," she cried, shrinking back. "Non, non; it is un homme étranger."

"What is that you say, Celeste?" and the other arose swiftly to her feet, the open book dropping to the floor as she turned to face me. Instantly I recognized her, in spite of the long hair trailing unconfined far below her waist—recognized her with a sudden leap upward of my heart into my throat. There was no semblance of fear, only undisguised amazement, in the dark gray eyes that met mine.

"What—what is the meaning of this strange intrusion? Are you a member of the crew?"

Instantly my cap came off, the thought occurring to me of what a rough figure I must be making in my soaked jacket, with the glistening peak of my cap shadowing my face.

"No, madame," and I bowed before her. "I am not one of your crew. My entrance here was entirely a mistake."

She leaned forward, one white hand grasping the back of her chair, the expression in her eyes changing as she read my face, perplexity merging into faint recollection.

"I—I do not quite comprehend," she confessed at last, changing her speech to a slightly broken Spanish. "You—you are Señor Estevan?"

CHAPTER VIII.

In Which I Begin Discovery.

Stunned by this abrupt disclosure of the extremely dangerous predicament we were in, I found no immediate voice for reply, merely standing there as if petrified, staring at them both, cap in hand, grasping the edge of the door. Their faces swam before me in the gray light streaming through the stern ports; the maid already attempting a smile, as though her fears had subsided, the mistress viewing me in wondering perplexity. She it was who first succeeded in breaking the embarrassing silence.

"But, señor, what does this all mean? Why are you here on board the yacht?"

With strong effort at control I brought my senses together, desperately fronting the disagreeable situation, feeling myself scarcely less a victim than she. If all that I now dimly suspected proved true, about us both were being drawn the cords of treachery.

"I cannot explain, madame," I began lamely enough. "At least not until I comprehend the situation better myself than I do now. It is all dark. I have reason to believe a most serious mistake has been made—one it will be very difficult to rectify. Perhaps I could see more clearly if you would consent to answer a few questions. May I ask them of you?"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

YOUTHFUL SCOT WELL VERSED.

Prompt and Concise Answer to Categorical Question.

Boston, Massachusetts, has long enjoyed the reputation of having exceedingly learned children who are able, so it is said, to dispute on subjects far above the heads of their elders of other regions. But Boston is not unique. In a book entitled "The Scot of the Eighteenth Century" Ian MacLaren describes a similar characteristic of the Caledonian.

It is the inevitable tendency of the Scot's mind to follow out every line to its terminus, even if it be over a precipice, and to divide every hair till infinity is touched.

It is not only in church courts, but in market places and in railway stations, in humble cottages as well as in university societies that the Scot is disputing, in every spare moment of his time, from morning till night.

The story goes that a minister overheard a mother questioning her child, as it supped its porridge, after the day's work was done.

"What," said this austere mother, "is the true relation between kirk and state, according to the principles of the Free church?"

And the favored child promptly replied: "Co-ordinate jurisdiction with mutual subordination."—Youth's Companion.

Gangrene of Caste in India.

Those who have not lived in India nor have made a special study of its unique conditions can hardly understand the differences and hatreds that exist among the different peoples. Between the Mussulman and the Hindu, the Punjabi and the Bengali, the Sikh and the Brahmin, and between many of the smaller divisions of religion, race and caste there is no such thing as cohesion or co-operation; and if, to a small degree, the rigid lines of caste have been broken down here and there so that labor and commerce under modern conditions have been made possible it is due in no small degree to the efforts of Great Britain.

Solid as a Rock.

Tom—I ate some of the cake she made just to make myself solid.

Dick—Did you succeed?

Tom—I couldn't feel any more solid if I had eaten concrete or building stone.

An Apt Pupil.

Teacher—Can you give me an illustration of self-denial?

Pupil—When a bill collector calls and papa sends word he is not at home.—Fliegende Blätter.

IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

PERSONAL.

John Anderson, a resident of Chicago since 1844 and publisher of the Norwegian daily, Skandinaven, since 1866, died at his residence of heart disease.

James R. Garfield, ex-President Roosevelt's secretary of the interior, declares he is willing to lead the Republican party in Ohio against Gov. Harmon if there is popular demand for his candidacy.

William Averill Harriman, son of the late Edward H. Harriman, was tossed over the historic Yale fence by sophomores during the annual Washington's birthday came rush, and sustained a blackened eye and numerous cuts and bruises. The Yale freshmen, however, of which he is a member, were victorious over the sophomores through superior numbers.

LeRoy Percy of Greenville, one of the most brilliant lawyers in Mississippi, was nominated as United States senator from the state of Mississippi to fill out the unexpired term of A. J. McLaurin, who died December 23, last.

Dr. Robert Schneider of Berlin, who is the discoverer of a new cure for tuberculosis, arrived in New York on the steamship Umbria. Dr. Schneider employs a combination of sulphuric acid, charcoal and eucalyptus, which is burned in a lamp placed in the sleeping room of the patient.

GENERAL NEWS.

Amassing a fortune of \$100,000 by toil as a farmer, only to lose it through the irregularities of relatives, is the story of Byron L. Church of Holyrood, Kan., made public through the old man's arrest on a charge of wrecking the Bank of Holyrood. Maxwell Church, his son, and F. W. Thomas, a nephew, are being sought by officers on complaint of the state bank commissioner.

The heaviest bell yet struck the beef trust by way of punishment for arbitrarily raising the price of meat and poultry, came in Jersey City, N. J., when the grand jury of Hudson county filed a blanket indictment charging a criminal conspiracy in restraint of trade. Six corporations, including the parent organization, the National Packing Company and 21 individual directors, were named in the conspiracy charge.

The curfew bells rang for the entire negro population of Memphis by order of Edward H. Crump, Memphis' "Boss Mayor." All members of the black race on the streets after 12 o'clock were arrested.

Testimony by Louis D. Glavis in his charges against Secretary Ballinger and the general land office, was again corroborated when Horace T. Jones, special agent of the land office, took the witness stand before the Ballinger-Pinchot investigating committee. Mr. Jones proved to be as good a witness. If not better for the prosecution than Mr. Glavis himself.

Following the publication of a sensational statement alleged to have been made by John J. Murphy, president of the Central Labor union of Philadelphia, a warrant was issued for him, charging "inciting to riot." The statement attributed to Murphy was that "a general strike should be called immediately. I think it is inevitable. There are men in the northwest who can shoot as straight as any trooper who ever drew a breath."

New York detectives are searching for five men who rode all over that city to find Jacob Greenthal, a former political worker, and who then stabbed him and all but severed his tongue. Greenthal is said to have talked too freely.

Charles Smith, a painter in desperate straits, told New York physicians he was so hungry that he allowed himself to be knocked down and run over to get the price of a meal. A woman whose buggy ran over him gave him five dollars.

Sheb Williams of Paris, Tex., is in Kansas City, Mo., to claim the body of Clay Clement, the actor and playwright, following an agreement made many years ago.

England is beginning to send shoes to this country. Hitherto the trade has all been the other way, but the reduction of the duty from 25 per cent. to ten per cent. has changed the situation. Since February 12 separate consignments from Leicester have come in to the port of New York.

Stockholders of the Midvale Steel Company of Philadelphia are to receive a stock dividend of 1,200 per cent., which is one of the largest stock dividends ever declared by an industrial company.

The coroner's jury in Monroe City, Mo., the home of Prof. James T. Vaughn's widow and her wealthy father, brought in a verdict finding from the evidence that Prof. Vaughn's "death was the result of strychnine poisoning." Dr. Charles W. Hull of Monroe City was arrested there on a warrant charging him with murder in the first degree.

President Taft declared to callers at the White House that his legislative program has not been curtailed to four bills, as stated in the newspaper dispatches from Washington. The printed list omitted all reference to the conservative bills, whereas the president has repeatedly pointed out that he would insist, so far as he legitimately could, that some at least of the conservation measures should be enacted into law before the present session adjourns.

The Nicaraguan government reports a decisive victory over the insurgents at Tipitapa. Bulletins posted here announce that Gen. Chamorro's army practically has been annihilated. The dead and wounded will number nearly 1,500, according to reports. The insurgents are said to have lost 1,100 and the government 400.

The Adirondack Cottage sanitarium at Saranac Lake, N. Y., founded for the treatment of tuberculosis, has received from Mrs. E. H. Harriman a letter, inclosing a check for \$25,000 and congratulating it upon the completion of its 25 years' existence.

Violet Gordon Charlesworth and her mother were each sentenced to five years' imprisonment in a London (England) court for fraudulently representing that the younger woman was an heiress to a great estate. On the strength of a mythical fortune of \$2,500,000 the girl had borrowed many thousands of dollars.

"I'll get you," shouted Bowman B. Seybert, aged 80, as he sat dreaming in a chair in a Butler (Pa.) livery stable. He then began shooting and awoke to find himself seriously wounded.

President Taft came out flatly in favor of a budget system, by which the government's finances may be regulated, in a speech which he delivered before the board of trade at Newark, N. J. The president talked of waste in the various departments of the government and suggested that the way to curb it is to have a system such as is in vogue in other countries where a schedule of expenditures is made up with reference to the income. His speech with its various suggestions as to government economy, was regarded as the keynote of a campaign to be carried on by the administration looking to the reduction in the high cost of living.

Following the discovery that the National City bank of Cambridge at Boston had been looted of \$144,000, the doors of the institution were closed probably forever, by National Bank Examiner Pepper, acting on behalf of the comptroller of the currency. Later a warrant was issued for the arrest of George W. Coleman, the young bookkeeper of the bank.

Three dead, three lying at the point of death in hospitals and more than a thousand persons injured is the toll exacted by the reign of lawlessness which has existed in this city for four days as the result of the street car strike at Philadelphia.

School slates and sponges have been barred by McKeesport (Pa.) health officials, who declare them to be germ breeders in scarlet fever, upon which they are waging a fight.

A Japanese, supposed to have been bent on the assassination of some high official, was killed at Amoy, China, by the accidental ignition of a high explosive in his clothing.

Secretary Nagel says \$100,000 to stamp out the "white slave" traffic would be well spent, in recommending a larger immigration regulation appropriation to the house at Washington.

Seven hundred American tourists reaching Yokohama, Japan, on the steamer Cleveland were given a warm welcome by Tokyo and Yokohama officials.

Eight directors of the New York Consolidated Milk Exchange—the institution which is said to be responsible for putting up the price of milk in this city—were indicted by the grand jury. Each of the men is accused of aiding in the restraint of trade in violation of the state law governing trusts and monopolies.

The justices of the supreme court of Illinois, at a meeting in Chicago, issued an order directing that all further proceedings in the Joyce case, which resulted in the parole law of 1899 being declared invalid, be stayed until the April term of court.

In opening the session of New York Senate Lender Jotham P. Alden to the charge preferred against him by Senator Benjamin Conger of having accepted a bribe of \$1,000, his counsel, Martin W. Littleton, announced that Senator Alden had filed with the clerk of the senate his resignation as president pro tem.



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TAFT WAS DECEIVED

PINCHOT AT HEARING CHARGES BALLINGER WITH DECEPTION AND DISLOYALTY.

SAYS HE IS UNFIT FOR JOB

Ex-Forester Declares He Will Show That Secretary Entered Office with the Avowed Purpose of Overturning Roosevelt's Conservation Policies.

Washington.—Clifford Pinchot, taking the witness stand at the Ballinger-Pinchot inquiry, Saturday read a statement to the committee, before giving his testimony, in which he charged Secretary Ballinger with falsehood and disloyalty to President Taft and declared that Mr. Ballinger should be dismissed from the service. The introduction of Mr. Pinchot's sensational statement was followed by the swearing of the former forester as a witness.

The statement which Mr. Pinchot read with dramatic effect outlined the story which he expects to relate in detail before his testimony is completed.

"When this story has been told," said Mr. Pinchot without raising his voice or indicating that he regarded it other than a mere matter-of-fact preface, "and the witnesses whom I shall ask you to call have been heard, you will realize that the interests of the people are not safe in Mr. Ballinger's hands, and that the country will demand of this committee a verdict in harmony with the general conviction that the secretary of the interior has been unfaithful both to the public, whose property he has endangered, and to the president, whom he has deceived."

Pinchot declared he would show that Ballinger entered office with the clear purpose of overturning the Roosevelt policy of safe-guarding water power sites and spoke of the imperative duty of "getting rid of an unfaithful public servant."

The conservation movement begun under the administration of President Roosevelt was progressing splendidly up to the time that President Taft and Secretary Ballinger came into office, declared Mr. Pinchot. He charged that in less than a month thereafter Secretary Ballinger had practically broken the backbone of the central idea of the conservation movement by restoring previously withdrawn water power sites to the public domain and laying them open to private appropriation and monopolistic control.

The restorations by Mr. Ballinger were made without any investigation of the subject whatever, said Mr. Pinchot, and he charged the secretary with having deliberately ordered the officers of the reclamation service, against their will, to recommend that some of the restorations should be made.

Concerning the Glavis charges in the Cunningham coal cases Mr. Pinchot said:

"I shall show you how the forest service became involved in these cases and how Glavis submitted facts to me. I believed then, as I believe now, that he told the truth."

"I am convinced now, as I was when he came to me, that Glavis was a faithful public servant and that the facts which he presented prove that Mr. Ballinger has been unfaithful to his trust as a servant of the people and as the guardian of public property of enormous value."

100,000 MEN ARE TO STRIKE

Labor Unions Vote to Go Out Saturday in Sympathy with Street Car Men.

Philadelphia.—One hundred thousand members of labor unions in this city will go on strike next Saturday in sympathy with the street car men.

The general strike was ordered Sunday by 700 wildly enthusiastic delegates from 140 locals, who had met to decide the next step in the trolley men's battle, which, for the past two or three days has been going against them.

The only question at issue at the meeting, it soon developed, was not whether there would be a strike. That went through with a whoop and a roar. Only a few of the ultra conservatives spoke against it, and their words were half-hearted. The question was, "When shall the strike begin?"

C. O. Pratt, the car men's chief, and other big leaders from out of town who had come to view the situation, spoke more coolly and pointed out that a strike like this one is proposed to be—such a strike as has seldom if ever been conducted anywhere—should not be entered into too hastily. This calmer counsel was accepted, after the first blaze of enthusiasm had quieted a bit, and the date was set for Saturday.

There is still hope that arbitration will come.

Boy Punished: Found Dead. Providence, R. I.—For some fault ten-year-old Gerald Guinness was on Saturday locked in a room by his mother, and when she went to liberate him she found him dead. The lad had accidentally turned on the gas and asphyxiated himself.

Taft's Cousin is Dead. Florence.—Freeborn Fairchild Raymond, a Boston lawyer, and a cousin of President Taft, traveling with his young daughter, died suddenly Saturday.

ONLY NECESSARY TO TREAT STOMACH, SAYS COOPER

The new theory advanced by L. T. Cooper relative to the human stomach has attracted such widespread attention that the public in cities visited by the young man has been joined by many physicians in a discussion of his beliefs and medicines.

Mr. Cooper says human health is dependent almost entirely upon the stomach. He says that no disease can be conquered without first alleviating all stomach disorders. He further says that most men and women of this generation are half-sick owing to degenerate stomachs. And lastly, he claims that his New Discovery medicine will rejuvenate the human stomach in 30 days.

Cooper has been traveling from one city to another, conducting in each what he calls a campaign of education. For the past year he has met the public in the larger cities of the country, and his success has been phenomenal. Thousands of people have flocked to his headquarters wherever he has gone, and the sale of his medicine has been beyond anything of the kind ever before witnessed.

Possibly the most interesting feature of the attention this young man has attracted is what his army of followers, whom he has converted to his beliefs through his medicines, have to say on the subject. The following statements are from two well-known residents of Chicago and Boston, respectively, and the enthusiasm of these is characteristic of Cooper's admirers generally.

Mrs. H. B. Mack, of 3201 State street, Chicago, says: "I have been suffering for 12 years from a combination of stomach trouble, catarrh and constipation. I had a gnawing pain in the pit of my stomach, a sort of a dull pain that I could not quite understand. Then there was a dull headache, and my mind seemed to be wandering continually. I could not eat, and what little solid food I did eat I could not retain on my stomach. I tried every remedy I could think of, and also tried out a number of patent medicines, but without any apparent result. It was through one of my friends that I heard of Cooper's preparation, and I immediately decided to try some of it. It is two weeks since I took my first dose of it, and I feel like a new woman. The headache seems to have disappeared, and the pain in my stomach, along with it. The medicine is worth its weight in gold, and I want to thank Mr. Cooper for what he has done for me."

Mr. Edwin F. Morse, of 20 Oakley street, Dorchester, a suburb of Boston, says: "For three years I had not a well day. My stomach was in frightful shape; the mere thought of food would nauseate me, and I really had a horror of anything to eat. All solid food would cause me extreme indigestion, bloating and gas on my stomach, and nothing tasted right. Some time ago I got some of this Cooper's medicine, about which there is so much talk. I actually feel as well and strong as a boy ever since the first bottle. Every sign of stomach trouble has disappeared, and I have a hearty appetite and eat three square meals; everything seems to taste good. Anyone who knows what chronic indigestion is can appreciate what this means to me. I consider this the most remarkable medicine I ever heard of."

Cooper's New Discovery is sold by all druggists. If your druggist cannot supply you, we will forward you the name of a druggist in your city who will. Don't accept "something just as good."—The Cooper Medicine Co., Dayton, Ohio.

Weak Spot in His Defense. A religious worker was visiting a southern penitentiary, when one prisoner in some way took his fancy. This prisoner was a negro, who evinced a religious fervor as deep as it was gratifying to the caller.

"Of what were you accused?" the prisoner was asked.

"Dey says I took a watch," answered the negro. "I made a good fight. I had a dandy lawyer, and he done prove an alibi wif ten witnesses. Den my lawyer be shore made a strong speech to de jury. But it wa'n't no use, sah! I get ten years."

"I don't see why you were not acquitted," said the religious worker.

"Well, sah," explained the prisoner, "dere was shore one weak spot 'bout my defense—dey found de watch in my pocket."—The Bits.

Neglected. "That child gets everything it wants."

"And still it never gets what it really needs."

"You surprise me!"

"It needs a spanking."



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